

U. S. TROOPS BEGIN PURSUIT OF VILLA

PERSHING ENTERS JUST SOUTH OF COLUMBUS

CARRANZA GARRISON AT PALOMAS PROMPTLY JOINS AMERICANS

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BULLETIN.
DOUGLAS, ARIZ., Mar. 15.—Numerous reports have reached the United States military authorities here that open Carranza troops at Cabullona, 18 miles south of here. Americans here are seriously disturbed and extra precautions have been taken to guard the town.
Consul Leclercq treated lightly the report that the Carranza troops were in revolt. He said that the garrison at Cabullona had been under the command of General Calles since the siege of Naco a year ago and were devoted to him. A rigid censorship over messages to all points in Sonora is being enforced by the Mexican officials.

SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 15.—General John J. Pershing, with more than four thousand troops began the pursuit in Mexico today of Francisco Villa, whose raid across the border last week caused President Wilson and his cabinet to decide to use the United States army to run him down. General Pershing's report that he and his command had crossed the international boundary line just south of Columbus, reached General Frederick Funston in command here of general operations late today.

Bertani promptly joins Pershing.
General Pershing's report of his entrance into Mexico served to dispel to a great extent fears that had been entertained in some quarters that resistance would be offered by the troops of the de facto government. Colonel Bertani, the commanding officer of the Carranza garrison at Palomas, on the south side of the dividing line, promptly joined General Pershing. His force was only some 400 men, but they were reported to have displayed willingness and even eagerness to join in the chase. As a body the Mexican troops will remain under their own commander, but a number of them are being employed as scouts by General Pershing.

Reports of progress in the country where the search has begun will be made by General Pershing to General Funston but it is anticipated that these will be frequent or deal with any but the more important developments.

How far into Mexico the column had reached tonight was unknown here, nor did General Funston appear greatly concerned. General Pershing's course for the next two days is known at headquarters and not until after Friday are sharp developments expected. Colonel George A. Dodd heading a smaller column that entered Mexico some distance west of Columbus, also is moving in a southerly direction and these two forces should be within touch of each other before the end of the week. By that time it is expected an infantry support will hold the lines of communication along which motor trucks for the transportation of ammunition and supplies will be operated. Although the censorship imposed by General Funston was relaxed tonight efforts still were made to keep secret the details of the plan of campaign, the exact number of men engaged and their actual locations.

Ordered to Wipe Out Villa.
General Pershing has gone into Mexico with orders to overtake and wipe out Villa and his organization. Unless orders to the contrary are received from those higher in authority than General Funston the campaign that was begun today will continue until Villa is captured or killed. This it was said at General Funston's headquarters tonight, is the idea General Pershing carried with him across the line. No limits have been placed on the field of operations. After the campaign is well under way it was pointed out circumstances may cause restrictions but just now the troops are prepared to go anywhere to carry out the president's orders.

News that the expedition was underway reduced to a marked degree the tension that was evident at army headquarters here during the early part of the day. It was expected that troops would cross earlier in the

day, but minor troop movements and other details of organization delayed the start.
General Funston optimistic.
General Funston regarded the situation optimistically. He appeared to have no doubts that the men in the field would render good account of themselves in the work undertaken and he was hopeful that Villa would be forced into a corner at an early date.
There are now available in this department for operations in Mexico more than twenty thousand troops, and if the plans for recruiting the companies to full strength are carried out this number will, it is expected be quickly increased. Cavalry posts have been relieved by infantry in most cases in order to furnish a more mobile force for the pursuit of Villa, although in the expedition that went in today there is a considerable force of artillery which can be reinforced at any time by several more batteries that now are held on the American side within easy distance of the border. If the exact whereabouts of Villa are known at army headquarters the fact has not been disclosed. Generally it is believed that he has moved southward toward the Guerrero district in the foothills of the Sierra Madre but reports from Mexican sources indicate that the de facto troops will do their best to turn him northward towards the advancing American columns.

Expect Resistance from Bands.
Bands affiliated with Villa in other parts of Northern Mexico have not indicated their intentions, but brisk activity on their part will be no surprise to the American army officers. It is anticipated that in chasing Villa these bands will have to be met from time to time and engaged.
There was nothing in the day's report that indicated defection of the small Carranza garrison at Ojinaga had been followed by other government troops and the action of Colonel Bertani's troops in joining the American column supported the belief that most of Carranza's forces would support him in his promise of co-operation.
Out On Low Gravel Hills.
El Paso, Texas, Mar. 15.—American troops were on Mexican soil tonight sixty miles west of here, the vanguard of an expedition gathered in less than a week, but nevertheless one of the most powerful forces assembled by this country since the war between the states. They were out on the identical low gravel hills where one week ago tonight Pancho Villa led 1200 of his bandits stealthily up to the American border, to make an early morning rush upon the sleeping American city of Columbus, N.M., and murdered seventeen Americans, eight of them soldiers and one a woman.
From the many hundreds of miles this force had been assembled, the elements of its armament, its numbers and the direction or directions in which its various columns headed after they passed the international line was a secret held by the military censorship.
The one important fact that the Americans had gone into Mexico again, was an event witnessed by hundreds of spectators who crowded into Columbus. They saw the troops move off toward the imaginary boundary line until when the men crossed they were tiny, but distinct brown lines in this distance. As the troops passed farther into the gravel hills clouds of white dust hid the men and their further movements as effectively as the censorship.
New Troops Fill Vacated Camps.
Behind the troops who moved forward, new regiments rapidly filled the vacated camps in Columbus. The eleventh cavalry, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., was one of the new arrivals.
The new regiments expected to follow but their officers would not say how soon, nor from what points. The disposition of the first aeroplane squad, on which passed west thru here last night loaded on flat cars was one of the most interesting of the military secrets, being the first actual

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa.—Mrs. Mary Ann Chenoweth, 85 years old, was burned to death. The fire is supposed to have originated from a stove in her daughter's residence.

DENVER, Colo.—Word has been received here of the arrival at Eagle Pass, Texas, of Bishop Francis J. McConnell of the Methodist Episcopal church. Bishop McConnell is enroute here from Mexico City.

ORESTON, Iowa.—Four freight cars on the Burlington tracks at Oreston were destroyed when a passenger train collided with an extra train. No one was hurt.

NEW HAMPTON, Iowa.—The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan, near here, is dead as a result of swallowing a beauty pin.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—S. P. Robinson, aged 58, widely known as a lawyer and politician, was found dead in his office here from heart trouble.

INDEPENDENCE, Kans.—The Prairie Pipe Line company has declared a regular quarterly dividend of \$5 a share and an extra dividend of the same amount.

HOBART, Okla.—Fire of unknown origin here destroyed two blocks of buildings in the business district causing an estimated loss of \$160,000.

PEORIA.—Compulsory vaccination of all children under 16 years of age in an effort to check the spread of contagious diseases here was ordered in an ordinance passed by the city council.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—The reorganization managers of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, it was formally announced will not attempt to reorganize the road under the conditions imposed by the Missouri public service commission.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo.—Two hotels were destroyed by fire here. No one was seriously injured and a few persons were slightly burned.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—Fifty members of the University of Illinois battery, composed of students and faculty members have agreed to go to Mexico if needed.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.—Supreme Court Justice Tompkins dismissed the indictment charging perjury against Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing prison.

CHICAGO.—The Cook county grand jury investigating the poisoning of soup served at the banquet given Archbishop Mundelein here Feb. 10 and an indictment of Jean Cronos, assistant chef, is being sought, according to Assistant State's Attorney Duval.

CHICAGO.—Peter Hanson, a farmer living near Clinton, Iowa, suffered a broken nose when Julia Conroy, whom he charged with having stolen \$20, struck him in the face in the court room. She was sentenced to 30 days for contempt of court.

LORIMER LISTENS UNMOVED WHILE HOLLY ENDS ADDRESS

Prosecutor Plunges Into Former Senator's Private Affairs and Connection With the LaSalle Street Bank.

Chicago, March 15.—William Lorimer, deposed United States senator listened unmoved today while W. H. Holly, assistant state's attorney ended his opening address to the jury trying him on charges connected with the collapse of his bank. The prosecutor toward the end of his statement, plunged into Mr. Lorimer's private affairs and their connection with the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings Bank and his various other interests.

"We insist," said Mr. Holly, "that Lorimer did not see a chance to get rich quick in the banking business, so he devoted his time to other business. In justice to him I will say that when he entered into these other things, he believed all would come out all right, but now he is in the same class with a clerk who appropriates a firm's money and loses it."

The attorney cited large personal accounts of Lorimer which remained unpaid, the former senator was borrowing large sums from his own bank. He declared that other members of the Lorimer family over-drew their accounts at the bank. It is probable the defense will make its opening statement tomorrow.

BILL COMES UP FOR DEBATE.
Washington, March 15.—The administration bill to repeal the free sugar clause of the Underwood-Simmons tariff law which would take effect next May 1 came up for general debate in the house today and its passage is expected tomorrow. All of the opposition to the measure today came from three Democrats, Representatives Bailey of Pennsylvania, Keating of Colorado, and Van Dyke of Minnesota.

WAIT FOR NEWS OF DEVELOPMENTS

Information That Carranza Troops Are Co-operating Relieves Anxiety

BAKER RECEIVES REPORT

Reports State Obregon Orders Juarez Commandant to Co-operate With U. S. Forces

EXPECT MEAGRE BULLETINS

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15.—With American troops across the Mexican border tonight seeking Villa and his bandits, President Wilson and officials of the war department resigned themselves to wait possibly many days for news of developments in the chase. Information that forces of the de facto Mexican government were co-operating with the expedition from the United States served to relieve tense anxiety that had been apparent on all sides over the possibility of Carranza troops revolting against their commanders and attempting to oppose the entry of the Americans.

Report Late in Reaching Capital.
Altho Brigadier General Pershing and Colonel Dodd marched into Mexico with some 5,000 men about noon today, it was not until more than six hours afterward that the official announcement came to Washington. It was received this evening and Secretary Baker at once hurried to the white house for a conference with the president. At 10 o'clock the secretary made this announcement: "The department received tonight in code, a message from General Funston which announces that American troops crossed the border into Mexico today but does not give the hour of the crossing. I am happy to say that the despatch shows that the military representative of the de facto government of Mexico not only interposed no obstacle but appears to be co-operating."

Gave Out Only Part of Despatch.
Secretary Baker made it clear that he had not given out the whole of General Funston's despatch. He said while the expedition was in progress the department would make public only what it was necessary to make public. Secretary Baker at once hurried to the general Funston's plans for secrecy.

Officers of the general staff were on duty at the department until late tonight, but so far as could be learned no additional information of importance had been received. General Funston is expected to report only when there are developments and it is generally understood no details which might interfere with clash between the American troops and the bandits before Friday or Saturday.

Reports tonight told of General Obregon, Carranza's new secretary of war and chief military man, ordering General Gaviro, commander of the Juarez garrison to co-operate in every way with the United States forces. This was accepted as convincing proof of the attitude of the Carranza government and any remaining fears of trouble between the Americans and soldiers of the de facto government are based on the possibility of insubordination or of mistaken identity.

Thruout the day the war department maintained rigid silence as to the situation on the border. General Funston was moving his pieces in the grim game with Villa behind a curtain of complete secrecy. It probably was the most complete censorship the country has ever known. The screen was drawn so close that the department itself was not advised of the crossing until hours after the troops were on the march. The only despatch as to the border situation received by Secretary Baker during the afternoon dealt with the departure of the eleventh cavalry from Chattanooga to reinforce the border patrol.

Rumors Fly About Corridors.
Rumors flew about the corridors of the war department all day. They ran from place to place gaining in importance as they flew. Some dealt with reported fighting on both sides of the border. One said a regiment of American cavalry had been annihilated. Department officials had no reports on which such statements could have been founded.

Only meager news bulletins from the troops in Mexico are expected. While four correspondents of press associations have been credited to accompany General Pershing's command they will be under strict censorship. Regulations of the war

PREDICTS CANAL WILL BE RE-OPENED APRIL 15

ACTING GOVERNOR OF CANAL ZONE REPORTS TO WAR DEPARTMENT

States Conditions in Gaillard Cut Justify Predictions—Believe Goethals Will Re-offer Resignation as Soon as Deep Water Traffic is Again Moving Thru Canal.

Washington, Mar. 15.—An official prediction that the Panama canal will be re-opened by April 15th, for the passage of deep draft vessels, was announced tonight by the war department.

Conditions in Gaillard Cut, scene of the principal earth movement which blocked the waterway last fall are regarded as justifying the forecast. Colonel Harding, acting governor of the canal zone, telegraphed the war department today as follows:

"Conditions in Gaillard Cut justify predictions that canal will be available for ships of 30 foot draft on April 15, subject to probable temporary delays thereafter to meet exigencies of dredging fleet in completing canal to full width and depth and in removing shoals that may possibly develop."

Until this report came, canal officials had refused since the closure to make any estimate of the probable date of re-opening.

Colonel Harding's telegram taken to mean that short of another great movement of earth the canal will be practically in full operation again after April 15th.

Major General Goethals, governor of the canal, was on leave in the United States when the canal was blocked. He had asked to be retired under the act of congress granting him that privilege believing his work done. In October he hastened back to the canal zone after advising President Wilson that he did not wish any action taken on his resignation until the extent of the slides was determined. When he found that a huge new task had been set him by nature he promptly withdrew the resignation.

General Goethals was in Washington today. His future plans are not known but it is anticipated that he will re-offer his resignation as soon as deep water traffic is again moving thru the canal. Colonel Harding's telegram is so positive that it is thought probable the governor may not return to the zone at all. Colonel Harding will succeed him.

Re-opening of the great waterway is regarded as an engineering feat second only to the construction of the canal. Millions of tons of rock and earth have been torn out of the collapsed excavations. New dredges of a size and capacity never before employed have labored night and day for months.

MEXICAN BANDITS FIRE ON SOLDIERS GUARDING BRIDGE

KINGSVILLE, Texas, March 15.—Mexican bandits, said to have numbered about thirty, fired upon sixteen American soldiers guarding the Barrow bridge on the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexican railroad about four miles north of Brownsville at 10 o'clock tonight. At least one hundred shots were exchanged. None of the Americans was injured. It is not known if the bandits suffered any casualties.

While the fight was in progress a train approaching from the south was flagged and stopped by an American soldier. A guard of five soldiers on the train rushed forward and reinforced the men fighting at the bridge. With the arrival of these reinforcements the bandits fled and are believed to have "escaped into Mexico. This was the first bandit trouble in the Brownsville region since last October. Troops guarding the railway line have been ordered increased.

ARREST TWENTY-ONE ON CHARGE OF SMUGGLING

Seattle, Wash., Mar. 15.—Four white men, seventeen Chinese and one Japanese were arrested today near Seattle, accused of being the principals in an organized band of smugglers charged with bringing in to the United States opium valued at \$1,080,000 and enough Chinese laborers to net the gang \$280,000 in four years work.

DESTROYER LEAVES FOR ENSENADA

San Diego, Calif., March 15.—The torpedo destroyer Stewart will leave here at midnight for Ensenada, Mexico, under orders from Admiral Winslow, commander in chief of the Pacific fleet following instructions today from the navy department. This action coincides with reports brought here by fishermen of a threatened revolt in the garrison there.

COMMISSION LOWERS SPRINGFIELD GAS RATE

IS SAID TO BE FORERUNNER OF DECISION IN JACKSONVILLE CASE

Action Reduces Rate in Capital City From \$1.00 per Thousand Cubic Feet to 80 Cents—Is Result of Largest Rate Making Procedure Before the Commission.

Springfield, Ill., March 15.—The public utilities commission of Illinois handed down a decision today lowering the gas rate of Springfield from \$1 per thousand cubic feet to 80 cents. The decision is the result of the largest rate making procedure before the commission in the two years of its existence.

The decision is expected to affect all other Illinois towns which are fighting for lower gas rates and is said to be a forerunner of a decision in the Jacksonville gas rate case which has been pending for some time.

The Springfield case, affecting 60,000 people, was begun soon after the commission was appointed. The hearings lasted nearly two years. Over four thousand pages of testimony were taken by the commission reporters; 24 separate hearings consuming 62 days' time were held. The final hearing took place Nov. 6, 1915. Complaint was filed in January, 1914.

The 20 per cent reduction was decided upon after the commission had fixed the value of the gas company plant, for rate making purposes to be \$800,000.

The present gas company evolved from the Springfield Gas Light company, chartered in 1854 by the legislature. Then gas was charged for at the rate of \$3.25 per thousand cubic feet. The company is understood to be owned by Hadenpyle, Hardy & Co. of New York.

In the proceedings five separate valuations of the gas company's properties were presented, two by the city of Springfield, two by the gas company and one by the engineering staff of the commission. All valuation experts followed a different theory and the valuations derived from them varied from \$1,200,000 by the company to \$500,000 by the city. In general the company's method, i. e., based their estimates on what it would cost to reproduce the plant today, which increased property values, paved streets, etc.

This is the method railroads all over the country are supporting before the interstate commerce commission, which is at present engaged in making a physical valuation of all railroads at an estimated cost of \$200,000,000.

JUDGE CREIGHTON OVERRULES DEMURRER OF STATE OFFICIALS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 15.—In overruling today the demurrer of state officials named as defendants in the "committee expense bill" filed by Fayette S. Munro, attorney for John B. Fergus of Chicago, Judge James J. Creighton of the Sangamon county circuit court said: "These charges in the bill present issues of fact which in the opinion of the court demand answers." James J. Brady, state auditor; Andrew Russell, treasurer; and Lewis G. Stevenson, secretary of state, are the defendants.

The bill charges that money was wrongfully paid out of the public treasury for legislative committee expenses. One of the chief items was that of \$10,000 out of the general committee expense fund of the senate for the O'Hara white slave investigation.

DISCUSS MINERS' DEMAND.

New York, Mar. 15.—The subcommittee of the Anthracite miners and operators which is considering the negotiations of a new wage scale for the hard coal fields discussed today the demand of the miners for a more satisfactory way of adjusting disputes.

GARRISON A RESIDENT OF NEW YORK CITY

New York, Mar. 15.—Lindley M. Garrison, former secretary of war has become a resident of New York City and as soon as admitted to the New York bar will practice law here as a member of the firm of Hornblower, Miller, Potter and Earle, it was announced by that firm today.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

ILLINOIS—Partly cloudy and warmer Thursday, probably followed by rain in south, rain or snow in north portion Thursday or Friday.

Temperatures.
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Wednesday were:

Jacksonville	31	33	18
Boston	22	28	28
Buffalo	16	16	12
New York	16	20	20
New Orleans	54	58	46
Chicago	26	26	22
Detrit	18	24	12
Omaha	36	38	22
St. Paul	24	26	4
Helena	56	62	30
San Francisco	56	58	50
Winnipeg	4	12	2

FRENCH RE-TAKE PART OF GROUND

Still Hold Bethincourt, Height of Le Mort Homme and Village of Cumieres

RUSS MOVE SWIFTLY

Petrograd Advances Describe Remarkable Progress in Persia of the Muscovites

BRITISH TAKE PORT OF SOLLUM

The German crown prince's army has apparently paused to take breath or bring up reinforcements for a continuance of the advance against Verdun fortress and its outlying defenses. Meanwhile the big guns are exchanging shells at various points along the entire line from Belgium to the Vosges mountains.

Retake Portion of Ground.

The latest assault by the German infantry between Bethincourt and Cumieres resulted in the winning of important positions but by counter attacks the French succeeded in retaking a portion of the ground and according to the official statement of the French war office held Bethincourt, the height of LeMort Homme and the village of Cumieres and the southern boundary of Cumieres wood, all positions of great strategic importance.

To the east of Verdun there has been considerable activity around Vaux and Dambloup, and fighting at close range is still in progress around the eastern slopes of Fort Vaux, which for days past has been the object of some of the hardest fighting.

The French have taken a German trench south of St. Souplet which indicates that in the Champagne region the contending forces are still endeavoring to take advantage of every opportunity to strengthen their lines.

Russian Troops Move Swiftly.

Advices from Petrograd described remarkable progress in Persia of the Russian troops who are moving swiftly over difficult roads and in the face of considerable opposition toward the Mesopotamian frontier, where shortly they expect to be in touch with the British forces at Kut-el-Amara and the relieving column under Generals Lake and Aymer. The Russians are now said to be within 50 miles of the last difficult pass which will place them in the rear of the Turkish Bagdad army and their object is to cut the railway to the north thereby preventing the Turkish army from receiving supplies and co-operate with the British against Bagdad.

In their advance against the Turks along the Black Sea, Littoral toward Trabzon the Russians have captured additional Turkish officers and men and two machine guns. A British column has attacked an advanced position of the Turks in Mesopotamia, bayoneted a number of Turks and captured others.

In the Austro-Italian zone the Italians are vigorously shelling Austrian positions and here and there throwing their infantry into the fray. No marked changes in the line have occurred however.

British Take Port of Sollum.

The British have captured the port of Sollum in West Egypt, from the Senussi tribesmen led by Turkish officers with only slight resistance. Afterward they pursued the fleeing tribesmen and captured officers, men and guns.

In East Africa the Boer General Smuts is actively pressing the Germans who are reported to be retreating southwards along the Tanga railway.

An official despatch from Berlin says an investigation by the German admiralty has disclosed the fact that no German submarine sank the Norwegian Bark Sillus on which there were a number of Americans in the Havre Roads.

During the illness of General Gallieni, the French minister of war, his post will be filled by Rear-Admiral Lecasse, minister of marine.

REFUSE TO SANCTION ENTRY.

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 15.—Despatches from Champaign, Ill., today said that the council of administration University of Illinois today refused to sanction the participation of the university track team in the tournament to be given here by the Missouri Athletic association on March 25th. The university authorities declined to approve the entry of the university team because the contests were not to be limited to college teams.



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WOMAN'S COLLEGE ORCHESTRA IN FIRST APPEARANCE TONIGHT

The first annual concert of the orchestra of Illinois Woman's college will be given this evening at 8:15 o'clock in Music Hall. A warm invitation is extended to all by the musical department of the college. There are twenty-five people in the orchestra, which has a full orchestration of brass and wood wind, and percussion instruments as well as strings. Professor Henry V. Stearns, director of the College of Music, is leader, and in the concert tonight Miss Rena M. Lazelle and Mrs. Florence F. Hartmann will assist. The program follows: Minuet from Symphony in E flat . . . Mozart Spanish Dance . . . Moszkowski The Orchestra. Barcarolle from Tales of Hoffman Miss Lazelle, Mrs. Hartmann and orchestra. Symphony in D major . . . Haydn Adagio—Allegro . . . Minuet Suite, "A Day in Venice" . . . Nevin The Orchestra. Waltz song from Romeo and Juliet . . . Gounod Miss Lazelle and orchestra. Grand March from Aida . . . Verdi Orchestra and organ.

A. J. Goodell of Chandler's was a caller on Jacksonville citizens yesterday.

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Since January 1st \$9,000 quarters of beef, \$8,000 carcasses of mutton and 37,000 carcasses of lamb have come into the United States from Argentina. Under the Democratic tariff law they came in free of duty, but here would have been the source of a fifty per cent revenue under the Republican tariff law, and the price of meat to the consumer would have been in no wise increased. The Democrats will make up for the loss by placing a direct tax on something else.

In conversation with a Republican senator a few days ago, Senator Underwood, father of the Democratic tariff monstrosity, is reported to have said that all the steel mills in his home town, Birmingham, Ala., were running at full capacity, and not a mill was engaged in making goods for the European belligerents. When asked if it were not true that these mills were working on orders turned over to them by mills in the east and in New England, because the latter were deriving greater profits from war orders, and were therefore subcontracting with the Alabama mills to handle their normal business, Senator Underwood maintained a discreet silence.

Mr. Root Not for War.

(From the Baltimore American.)

Those Democrats who are seeking to have it appear that Mr. Root, in his ringing exhortation of the halting and stumbling diplomacy of the administration, raised the alternative of the employment of force, and that he stands for war with Germany, are drawing the long bow with their accustomed indifference to fact. Nothing in the address of the eminent Republican carries a shadow of inference in favor of war—but everything points to his contempt of a diplomacy of incoherence and inefficiency. He knows, and the country knows, that, following the first stage of the issue with Germany, there never was a time, when Germany could have been dragged into war with the United States.

The Democrats would have Mr. Root appear as either a knave or a fool when they say he advocates war with Germany or blames the administration for not plunging the nation

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

FIGHTING AND FARMING.

Since winter on its way is faring, and spring is in again, old Europe's hosts are now preparing to slay about a million men. Great husky youths who should be seeding the fertile fields to wheat and oats, will spend the springtime scrapping. Bleeding, intent on cutting strangers throats. The hills of France shall see no tiller, the vales in vain expect the plow, and Death, the dear and dusty miller, is doing all the grist-work now. And Death is measuring the acres where once the shepherds used to bask, to see that kings and kindred fakers have room to do their butcher's task. And Death demands the ox and charger, which used to draw the loaded wain, and everything that will make larger his crimson tally of the slain. Where once the milkmaid drove the plover, where once the vintner pressed the grape, Death's bloody odor taints the zephyr. Death flaunts his rusty rags of crape. When to your divers goes you're praying, pray not that either side may win, but for an end to crazy slaying, an end to murder's smoke and din.

DATES IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

March 16, 1785—Rufus King moved a resolution in congress to prohibit slavery in the western territory. The resolution was not made effective until its incorporation in the Ordinance of 1787, but it is one of the very earliest blows aimed at slavery.

into congestion. Peace with credit is one thing; peace with discredit is another. If the longbowmen of the Democratic party will only gather their wits to perceive this distinction, they will have the key to that finely analytical address.

Osborne Free of Charge.

Without waiting for defense, a supreme court justice in New York quashed the indictment against Thomas Mott Osborne, until recently warden at Sing Sing. The people at large have had the feeling that the charges against Osborne were trumped up by political enemies, and were loath to believe him guilty until some evidence was presented against him. As warden Mr. Osborne has introduced many measures for the betterment of life at the prison and the system he has continually advocated has improved conditions there and tended toward a better living plane for the prisoners.

"Watchful Waiting."

We are gathered, at the border, just waiting for a sign; when our General gives the order to move across the line. We are quiet at the border, and the motion picture men have received the General's order to hie away again. We are gathered at the border; see our air-men waiting there, till the General gives the order to rise up in the air. We are patient at the border, till Carranza has a chance, or the General gives the order for our army to advance. So we rest this side the border, alert and ready too, till the General speaks his order to tell us what to do. We are gathered at the border, "Watchful waiting," it may be, till our General gives the order to move across you see. We are quiet at the border, but wait and we will prove, when the General gives the order, how quickly we can move.

—S. Adrain Hughes.

Vigorous President.

Along with the possibility of Theodore Roosevelt as a conspicuous figure at the Republican national convention, comes the story that a president, with his views and vigor, would have had a large influence in shaping European war affairs in the early days of the conflict. Colonel Roosevelt is not the only prominent American who believes that this government should have entered protest against the violation of the neutrality of Belgium by the Germans. Such a protest, it is now maintained, would have made Germany hesitate about pushing further hostilities, and during the period of negotiations which must have followed, that there would have been an excellent chance for quenching the war conflagration in its incipency. Roosevelt as president would undoubtedly have met the conditions in a vigorous, unafraid way, but the fact remains that the country was not in a condition to make good any serious threats, and it is in the same condition today.

Speaking of vigorous, forceful men reminds us, too, that while Senator Sherman has not been nearly so much or so long in the public eye, as the former president, no one has ever accused him of a weak or vacillating spirit. In all his public career he has been known as a man with convictions—a man who looks deep into causes and results and is ever ready to fight for the cause he has mapped out as the right.

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TRACK AND BASEBALL AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE

Illinois college has the chance of a first class baseball team this year and now Coach Harman has opened the lists for track entries. In a chapel talk Wednesday forenoon the coach spoke of the needs and possibilities of the spring season and a large number of candidates have to date signified their intention of taking part in baseball and track. The open schedule of events follows:

May 5—Illinois college interscholastic field and track meet. (Illinois field).
May 13—Illinois college vs Millikin university. (Illinois field).
May 13—Illinois vs Millikin. Tennis, singles and doubles. (Illinois field).
May 20—Illinois vs Bradley. (Peoria).
May 26—Illinois intercollegiate tennis tournament, singles and doubles, student and faculty. (Illinois field).
May 27—Illinois intercollegiate field and track meet. (Illinois field).

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

TAKES OFFICE POSITION.
Miss Gertrude Manchester has taken a position in the office of Dr. A. M. King, in place of Miss Lottie Peak, who recently resigned.

All members of the Knights and Ladies of Security are requested to attend the funeral of Bro. John Beaman at the Church of Our Savior, Thursday, at 9 a. m.

JEROME MIRESELL, Pres.

Mrs. E. A. Schofield has returned from Moline where she was a guest of her son, Chester Schofield and family.

CHARLES H. CONDIT DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

PROMINENT WINCHESTER BANKER IS CALLED BY DEATH.

End Comes Peacefully This Morning at 12:30 O'clock—Stood High in Business Circles of Community—Other Winchester News Notes.

Winchester, Ill., March 16.—Charles H. Condit, for many years prominent here as a banker and business man died this morning at 12:30 o'clock after a brief illness with bronchial pneumonia. As a member of the banking firm of Neat, Condit & Grout he had a business acquaintance which extended well beyond the confines of Scott county. Mr. Condit had extensive land holdings but his place in the community was not measured by wealth alone as he was known for singleness of purpose, integrity of character and an upright life. Mr. Condit early made a profession of Christianity and for many years has been a steadfast member of Winchester Methodist church.

The serious importance was not at first placed on Mr. Condit's illness, there soon came a turn for the worse and relatives were summoned from a distance. Attending physicians set Wednesday night as the time of crisis and his condition was the subject of grave apprehension.

Mr. Condit has spent practically all of his life in Scott county. He was about fifty years of age and leaves, besides his wife, two daughters, two brothers and two sisters. The daughters, Mrs. Samuel G. Smith of Winchester and Mrs. Alfred Scholtz of Beardstown were with their father when death came. The brothers are Thomas K. Condit of Beardstown and William Condit of Astoria and the sisters, Mrs. William Kuehler of Winchester and Mrs. H. C. Worcester of Roodhouse. Carl Neat, business partner of Mr. Condit arrived home Wednesday from Florida, where he had gone for a vacation visit. The firm of Neat, Condit & Grout suffered the loss of a member by death but a few months since when A. P. Grout passed away at his home after an illness of short duration.

Funeral arrangements will probably be made today.

Owings Funeral Today.
The body of Miss Eliza Owings arrived from Holdenville, Okla., accompanied by Stephen Hardwick. Funeral services will be held this forenoon at the Methodist church, of which Miss Owings was a member. Burial will be made in Kincaid cemetery, four miles northeast of Winchester.

Mrs. Gay Brown of Manchester arrived here Wednesday to make a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Taylor.

Bernard Lewis returned Wednesday to Alton after a visit of a week with Winchester relatives and friends.

Mrs. Michael Cleary is here from Jacksonville for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hieronymus.

T. C. Hill was a business visitor in St. Louis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas and daughter, Helen, returned Tuesday from a tour of three months thru California and other places in the west.

JACKSONVILLE—SPRINGFIELD

It is gratifying to know that courteous treatment and reasonable prices are appreciated by our own citizens and surrounding territory as well. Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie made another shipment of a complete house-keeping outfit to Springfield this week.

FUNERALS

Pond.

Funeral services for Perry C. Pond were held Wednesday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the home of the parents of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pond, 653 South Hardin avenue. Rev. F. A. McCarty was in charge, and after this brief service the body was sent to Meredosia for a more extended service and for burial. For the service here music was furnished by Mrs. J. Wallace Brockman, Miss Cora Graham, Earl Pond and Rev. F. A. McCarty. Flowers were in charge of Miss Marie Danneberger and Miss Webster. The bearers were Ellsworth Davis, H. Davis, Erwin Davis, Edward Allip, Everett Armstrong and Lloyd Cronwell. The body was sent to Meredosia by the 2 o'clock Wabash train and on arrival there was taken to the Methodist church where the sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Hancock. Musical numbers were given by Mrs. William Looman, Mrs. Lloyd Waghoft, William Looman and Henry Berger. The flowers were in charge of Misses Elton and Deulah Pond. Interment was in Oakland cemetery. The bearers were Bert and Harold Pond, True Pond, Frank and William Pond and Charles Webster.

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REMOVE TO ALEXANDER.

George H. Hall and family have removed from their farm south of Alexander and taken residence in the village in the property purchased recently from M. E. Greenleaf. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall will occupy the farm home.

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CHAPIN.

The Willing Workers' class of the Chapin Christian Bible school will give a "social" on Friday evening (St. Patrick's day) at the Christian church in the Sunday school room and supper will be served in the basement. An admission fee of "17 cents" will be charged. Everybody cordially invited. Miss Carrie Johnson is teacher of the class. Mary Wilson will be the cateress.

Earl Fox of Waverly was visiting the family of J. Z. Fox and other relatives on Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. Markham was reported as being much weaker Tuesday morning. The Wabash had a wreck Tuesday morning at Neely's. An engine turned over the track and the tender turned over. The morning passengers were delayed some hours.

FOR BUGGY AND AUTO PAINTING SEE HALL BROS.

DR. ZELLER IN THE CITY.

Dr. Zeller, alienist of the state board of administration, came to Jacksonville yesterday to visit the state institutions. The purpose of the visit at this time was to go over the books and payrolls of the institutions with the end in view of abolishing certain positions as a matter of economy.

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A. B. Chapman of Virginia was a visitor in the city yesterday.
Wm. M. Crum of Litterberry had business in the city yesterday.

We have a beautiful display of Gage and Fisk hats at reasonable prices. Carroll Millinery Parlors, 359 Routt street.

H. L. Caldwell was a business visitor in Springfield Wednesday.

Miss Hattie Rubble of Prentice was a shopper in the city yesterday.

See Aunt Jerusha, Christian church tonight.

R. G. Vasey was in the city yesterday from the Point vicinity.

J. A. Harnack of Danville was a caller or city friends yesterday.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

H. A. Trazwell, near Woodson, was among the city visitors yesterday.

Sylvanus Scott of Franklin was a visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Street Railway Charity Benefit today.

Harold Ryan of Franklin made a business visit in the city yesterday.

Peter Nelson of Greenville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625 pie social tonight. All come.

L. L. Owen of Scottville was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

I. E. Worfolk spent yesterday in Chicago buying spring stock of clothing.

William Paul of Woodson was a business caller in the city yesterday.

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tending to affairs in the city yesterday.

A. J. Doble of Springfield was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Henry Brockhouse helped represent Arenzville in the city yesterday.

ASK FOR MOOSE CIGARS.

Albert Krohe of Beardstown was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Emil Wagner of Beardstown was transacting business in the city yesterday.

THURSDAY'S SPECIAL FOR

10c. SWEET PEAS 10c BUNCH.

Frank Ryan of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Albert Weeks of Beardstown was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Owen Doyle was among the Waverly shoppers in the city Wednesday.

Street Railway Charity Benefit today.

Emil Wagner of Beardstown was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

J. C. Anderson of Franklin was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

F. L. Hungerford of Nortonville was a business caller in the city Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Mathews of the east part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

William Paul of Woodson was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

LET EVERYBODY ATTEND HERMAN'S GRAND OPENING TODAY.

A. B. Smith of Beardstown was reckoned among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Luther Bronson of Carrollton was a visitor yesterday with Jacksonville citizens.

Claid Jolly of Franklin was among the business visitors in the city Wednesday.

J. P. Correa has returned from Bluffs where he went to look after farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Downing of Oklahoma City Okla., are visiting friends in the city.

Thomas Tissington well known resident of the Murrayville neighborhood who has been spending some months in Pensacola, Florida, expects to start on the homeward journey March 22d.

"Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party," Christiana Church tonight.

GREAT LOCAL INTEREST IN

SPRINGFIELD RATE FINDING

Lower Price for Gas in Capital City Indicates Changes Will Be Ordered Here by Commission—Precedent in Methods Established.

There is naturally a great deal of local interest in the decision of the state utility commission with reference to the Springfield gas rate case. The commission has ordered a reduction in the gas rate from \$1 to 80c, a cut of 20c. The hearing has been in progress almost two years and a vast amount of testimony was taken. The commission declared that the company was entitled to a property valuation of \$800,000 as a basis for earning dividends, placing the figure about \$400,000 below the valuation placed by the company upon the property. The local interest is occasioned by the fact that the arguments presented at the Jacksonville rate case are very similar to those heard in the Springfield case.

In making their finding the commission also laid down certain principles as to the calculation of overhead expense, deterioration, etc., which establish a precedent and will undoubtedly be applied to like cases. Local persons who have followed the evidence in the Jacksonville case therefore now feel confident that when the finding is made in the Jacksonville case that lower rates for both gas and electricity will be ordered.

SMOKE MOOSE 5c CIGARS.

MATRIMONIAL

Jones-Sargent.

Ernest W. Jones of Pisgah and Miss May W. Sargent of Markham were married at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the parsonage of Centenary church, the Rev. G. W. Flagg officiating. The young people were accompanied by John A. Sargent, father of the bride, and Mrs. Walters and Mrs. Grover Sheppard, sisters of the groom. S. P. Cleary and Miss Mae Paschall. The bride has made her home near Markham and has formed a large number of friends in that community. The groom was reared in the Durbin community and is a young man of energy and ability. The bride is a granddaughter of the Rev. John C. Sargent, for many years a prominent Methodist minister of central Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Jones expect to begin housekeeping at once on a farm in the Pisgah vicinity.

WITH THE SICK.

John Fernandes is confined by illness to his home, 1049 North Diamond street. On account of his advanced age his condition is regarded with some apprehension.

ARMY OFFERS APPROVE STAND

San Antonio, Mar. 15.—Approval of the stand taken by Carranza in entering into a reciprocal agreement for the passage of troops from one country to another has been given by all general officers of the de facto government's army, according to a telegram received by Counsel Beltran from Mexico City. The department of war was given as authority for the statement.

WEDNESDAY CLASS LISTENED TO INTERPRETATION OF "TEMPEST"

Dr. J. G. Ames Presented Famous Shakespearean Production Before Literary Organization.

Members of Wednesday Class and invited guests enjoyed an afternoon of rare pleasure at the open meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Charles A. Barnes. The class had been fortunate in securing Dr. John G. Ames to read "The Tempest," the suggestion coming from the fact that the Class is this year occupied with Shakespearean study. A delightful social hour followed the literary program.

The following communication to the Journal gives in an accurate way an idea of the value of the afternoon:

Editor of the Journal:

The celebration of the tercentenary of Shakespeare, now so widely talked of, seems fairly to have begun in Jacksonville, in a very happy way. Being one of the privileged guests at the annual open meeting of one of the women's clubs, I looked on with the eye and listened with the ear of a comparatively newcomer to observe what would be done with one of the great dramatists plays, "The Tempest."

So well was it done that I felt that if the cordial hospitality of the club could have had room to invite a larger company nothing better could have been done to prepare the wider publicity for the succeeding celebrations of Shakespeare's birth in the community.

Prof. Ames of the College, after announcing that the play he was about to read was to be given in May on the campus, proceeded to read selections of the Tempest with illuminating explanations of the plot, he was obliged for brevity's sake to omit.

The passages read were admirably given, with the reader's rare and musical and carrying voice. The restraint, the felicitous interpretation, the gracefulness of the well-tempered elocution were very attractive.

After this reading, Prof. Ames read a brief and very excellent paper setting forth the place of the "Tempest" among the dramas of Shakespeare as now generally accepted. As one of the three plays of his latest work it shows the author's chastened and mellow spirit when the happy exuberance of his early love dramas—and the storm and stress shown in his great tragic pieces, like Lear and Macbeth, had passed away and the serenity and quiet seriousness of his last years had come.

If Prospero, the chief character in the "Tempest" really is, as Prof. Ames intimated—autobiographical in exhibiting the rare and forgiving spirit which Shakespeare won from the bitter personal experience with rivals and jealous competitors—it certainly gives a pathetic impression of the poet's spiritual quality at the end of his days.

In the midst of the rancors and the hot tempers of our time, many of them engendered by the great European conflict and our partisan advocacy of one or the other party to it, the spirit of this play may come as a balm and corrective of any unforgiving tempers we may be cherishing.

I could not help wishing, as I listened, that the reading of this play and the interpretation and comments of the reader could have had a wider hearing and I thought that Jacksonville is to be congratulated that this hearing is to be provided in May on the College Campus.

Stratford.

Don't Miss the fun, "Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party," Central Christian church. Tonight and Friday.

Y. M. C. A. VOLLEY BALL TEAM TO GO TO HANNIBAL

Local Players Will Take Part in Business Men's Tournament There

For some time the matter of a Y. M. C. A. volleyball team to take part in the Hannibal business and professional men's tournament has been under consideration and a try-out was arranged in order to select men for the purpose and the choice was announced yesterday as follows: R. Y. Rowe, Walter Bellatti, A. Hopper, Marcy Osborne, Wilfred Ayers, Leo Cooney, E. M. Johnson and A. C. Metcalf and they will be accompanied by director Brewer.

The Jacksonville team will play at 4:15 p. m. today when Quincy, Keokuk and Hannibal teams will take part and the elimination will be continued in the evening.

The visitors will be guests at a 6 o'clock banquet to be given by the Hannibal people this evening and during the evening Rev. W. L. Dorgan, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of this city and now pastor of the Baptist church in Hannibal, will be one of the speakers, responding to the sentiment, "Why we invited you here."

COHEN & SON WILL BUY BIG QUANTITY OF IRON

Cohen & Son have just started a publicity campaign for the purchase of 10,000 tons of scrap steel, cast and malleable iron. An order has come to them for this huge shipment, which it is said will be used in connection with the manufacture of war munitions. Scrap metal proper are made from steel, the same kind that enters into the construction of steel rails, but there are other departments of the munitions manufacturing business which require exactly the materials that the local firm is buying up. Agents are being sent into surrounding counties, letting it be known that Cohen & Son are now offering high prices for material of the kind mentioned.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Birthday Party at W. H. Coultas Home.

A birthday surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coultas in honor of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Blackburn recently. The evening was spent in playing games and music. A nice lunch was served and every one present thoroughly enjoyed the occasion. The following were present: Thos. Dodsworth, Albert H. Todd and family, Fred Duckwell and family, Lee Crouse and family, Joseph Higgs, Mrs. Nettie Shepherd, Foster Shepherd, L. M. Shirliff, Roy Grady and family, Miss Myrtle Hills, Adam Hills, Lee Stainforth, Dorothy, Winniford and Fred Coultas, Louise, Lillie and Chris German, Mrs. Sarah E. Stanton, Francis Stanton, Norman Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Moore, Mrs. Hulda Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Parker, Lee Parker, Wesley Combes and family, Rev. L. R. Cronkrite and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker, Earl Landois, Edward Landis, Mrs. Annie Ricks, Irene Ricks, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephenson, Geo. Blackburn and family, John Willmarth, Chas. Rich, Arthur Kitchen, Roy Heaton, Sam Angelo and Miss Nettie Hills.

Party at J. B. C.

Students of Brown's Business college will enjoy a St. Patrick's day social this evening in the college social hall. Appropriate games will be played and refreshments served. The committee consists of Horace H. Goodell, Carl Frank, William A. Faugust and Earl Heaton, chairman.

D. O. K. K. Gave Social Dance.

The drill team of Ilderm temple, D. O. K. K., acting as social committee, gave the fifth of a series of dances at Pythian hall last night. Fifty-couple were present and during the hours from 8 until 12 o'clock a greatly enjoyed dancing program was carried out. The Carroll and Large orchestra furnished the music for the occasion, and in every way the committee had planned well for the event.

Meeting Announced at Franklin School.

The Parent-Teachers' association of the third ward will meet Friday afternoon at Franklin school. Review will be made of a food lecture given several months since in David Prince auditorium by a state demonstrator. For this part of the program members will bring note book and pencil. The business session will begin at 3:30 o'clock and a program by children of the school will begin an hour earlier. There will be a social hour, with serving of refreshments.

Banquet for Manchester Basketball Boys.

The Manchester basketball team was honored at a banquet Wednesday evening in Weis hall, served at 7 o'clock by ladies of the Methodist church. A company of interested citizens were hosts and more than seventy people gave attention to a delicious menu and heard the program of toasts and short talks. Decorations were of blue and white, colors of the school, and pennants, inscribed with the initials, "M. H. S." were employed as favors. Floral decorations were the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rimbey of White Hall.

A musical program was rendered by the Griffith sisters and talks were made by the Rev. Mark White, Coach S. T. Wallage and Charles Lettze, the principal. On the menu were included fruit cocktails, hot rolls, baked chicken and giblet gravy peas in patties, pickled brick ice cream and coffee.

The boys of the team expressed high appreciation of the honor tendered them. Many were the words of praise and congratulation uttered in behalf of the team which had

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EDISON ASKS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF GOVERNMENT LABORATORY

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Construction of a great government laboratory for the development of submarines and aeroplanes and other war equipment was asked today by Thomas A. Edison and other members of the advisory board. Mr. Edison said a properly equipped establishment costing to begin with \$1,500,000 would make possible experiments for standardization of submarine parts for instance, which might result in enabling builders to turn out a submarine in a week instead of the many months now required.

The other members of the board who appeared were Howard E. Coffin, W. L. Saunders, A. M. Hunt, and Dr. L. H. Backlund.

WILL RETURN TO WORK. Sioux City, Iowa, Mar. 15.—Accepting the advice of Rev. George J. Jonaitis, pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic church of Omaha, and strike leader, Ed. Payne, strikers of the Cudahy Packing plant will return to work tomorrow morning after having been idle since Monday morning. The decision marked the settlement of the third strike within three weeks.

MISS ANTOBROS HOSTESS TO JACKSONVILLE GUESTS. Miss Esther Antobros entertained a company of friends from Jacksonville at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening. After the dinner a merry time was spent at the roller skating rink. The guests were Miss Deane Obermeyer, Miss Reine Packard, Miss Leila Berryman, Miss Jeanette Leek, Miss Grace Rapp, Mrs. Thurman Haskell and Mrs. Harry Cully.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB WITH MRS. GUINANE. Mrs. James Guinane entertained the members of the Household Science club Wednesday afternoon at her home in Chapin. The full membership was present and the meeting proved a most profitable one. At the calling of the roll the women answered with "Hints for housekeeping." Miss Guinane and Mrs. Minnie Antobros gave demonstration of muffin making.

An excellent paper, the text of which will appear in the Journal of Friday, was read by Mrs. Robert Clark. Mrs. Clark's subject was "Our Grandmothers and the Women of today," and the reading of the paper elicited much interest.

CONDITION IS UNCHANGED. Laredo, Texas, Mar. 15.—The condition of Doctors Carl E. Husk of Aurora, Ill., and Peter Olitsky of the Mount Sinai hospital of New York City who are suffering from typhus in a hospital here, is said to be unchanged today.

TITANIC SURVIVOR DIES. Danville, Ill., March 15.—Mrs. Helen Walton Bishop, a survivor of the Titanic disaster, died suddenly today at the home of Mrs. O. W. Cannon, widow of one of Congressman J. G. Cannon's nephews, where she was visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson of Chapin went to Meredosia Wednesday to attend the funeral of Perry C. Pond.

To Clean Up an overstock of odds and ends of brands, we make these prices to close them out. Bring the cash.

40c full quart jar preserves, 43 oz	25c
30c short quart jar preserves, 26 oz	20c
40c jar, 43 oz preserves	30c
15c jar, 12 oz, preserves	11c
25c jar, 15 oz, preserves	15c
30 dozen early June peas, doz	80c
30 dozen sugar corn, doz	80c
32 dozen large cans tomatoes, doz	\$1.10
13 dozen large cans, California peaches, doz	\$1.30
17 dozen large cans sweet potatoes, doz	\$1.10

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COMMERCE COMMISSION EXTENDS SCOPE OF ITS INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15.—The interstate commerce commission today extended the scope of its investigation into the rates and practices involved in the transportation of fresh meats, livestock and packing house products so as to include all the railroads in the United States.

Under the first order in the case issued last November the commission announced its intention to investigate rates west of the Mississippi.

Today's order brought the roads in the southeast and east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers into the investigation. The investigation grew out of the so-called Western advance rate case in which railroads asked for increases on livestock, fresh meats and packing house products, but failed to get the commission's approval.

WAIT FOR NEWS OF DEVELOPMENTS

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department under which they were designed give the commander absolute control over the information they send back. Nothing that could be of value to the enemy will be permitted to pass over whatever lines of communication General Pershing keeps open. Such messages as are relayed will be very brief. At most the expedition will have only field radio sets to keep in touch with the border and official reports will clog this means of transmitting news. The American people probably will hear of the chase and of the battle with the bandits if there is one, in terse official messages from General Pershing and thru the sifting of the rumors that reach the American side thru Mexican sources. The announcement of General Funston that the chase was on disposed of rumors that were particularly persistent thruout the day that a temporary halt had been called to permit the Carranza troops to carry out their own plans to capture Villa before American soldiers took up the task.

Note Clearly States Position.
Secretary Lansing's note clearly stated the position of the United States that the agreement for pursuit of the bandits was in force with its acceptance by the United States and covered the expedition after Villa. The silence of Carranza and official advices concerning his attitude caused the state department to take it for granted that the de facto government of Mexico concurred in that view.

While war and state departments were busy with these matters congress completed the work begun yesterday, the senate concurring in the house resolution providing for an increase of the regular army to approximately 120,000 fighting troops. There was little debate and the 86 senators in the chamber voted unanimously for the resolution.

Adjutant General McCain had acted without waiting for final passage of the resolution. Under orders wired last night recruiting forces all over the country which have been closed for months, were re-opened this morning. Before the senate voted several hundred men already had been enrolled.

While apparently there has been no formal discussion of what shall be done with Villa if he is captured, it is regarded as probable that if taken alive, the bandit leader will be turned over to the de facto government for prompt execution. That would avoid embarrassing questions, which might arise if the United States undertook to arrange for his extradition to Texas for trial on the charge of murder. Army officers think, however, it is altogether unlikely that Villa will permit himself to be made prisoner. Knowing the certain fate awaiting him he is expected to fight as long as there is breath in his body.

HIGHLY PLEASED WITH RESULTS.

Mobile, Ala., Mar. 15.—Army and navy officers who came to Mobile for the gun fire tests held at Fort Morgan this week, expressed themselves as highly pleased with results before leaving for Washington today to make their report. The marksmanship of the gunners aboard the super-dreadnaughts New York and Arkansas was said by one of the officers to be marvelous.

MRS. MOORE PASSES

THRU CHICAGO.
Chicago, Mar. 15.—Mrs. J. J. Moore, whose husband was killed by Villa himself at the Moore ranch near Columbus and who herself was wounded by the bandits, according to a story which reached Chicago yesterday, was among the passengers who arrived today on a train from the west. Exhausted by her journey and by a wound in the thigh she was unable to talk and was transferred to another train at the Englewood station, enroute to her parents' home in Bucyrus, Ohio.

CUMMINS HAS DECISIVE LEAD.

St. Paul, Mar. 15.—Returns at midnight tonight from nearly one third of the precincts in the state showed Senator A. B. Cummins of Iowa, decisively leading Henry Estabrook of New York for the Republican endorsement for President and William Sulzer of New York ahead of Eugene W. Foss of Massachusetts for the Prohibition nomination.

RECEIVE NEWS QUIETLY.

Nogales, Ariz., Mar. 15.—News that American troops had crossed the international line was received here in the Mexican town of Nogales, across the border, quietly. Little knots of people gathered on the streets of both towns when the newspapers appeared but there was no excitement of any kind.

PERSHING ENTERS JUST SOUTH OF COLUMBUS

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campaign test of this new arm of the service.

Unofficial reports came into El Paso that about 50 miles west of Columbus, near Hachita, N. M., another column had gathered and probably had entered Mexico. Nothing more definite than the fact of this column's existence was established despite reports that these troops might have gone in first.

Orders Troops to Co-Operate.

Juarez, Mexico, March 15.—General Gaviira, Carranza commander here, said tonight that he had received instructions from General Obregon, Carranza's minister of war, to order all troops in his district to co-operate in every way with the American expeditionary force.

Juarez is quiet on the surface, but Americans met with insults in some parts of town and there was evidence of a strong undercurrent of hostility towards the United States. There are about 1,000 troops in this town and nearly all were confined to barracks today. They have been forbidden by General Gaviira to frequent saloons. Nothing stronger than beer is permitted to be sold in the town.

In a statement issued late today General Gaviira said:

"My soldiers are absolutely loyal and there is no danger of any outbreaks in this section. I have received reports that Colonel Riojas has been murdered by the troops at Ojinaga and am trying to get in communication with that town but so far have failed. There is no reason whatever for any hostility toward Americans on the part of the loyal Mexicans and I have assurances that all troops in my district will act in full concord with the Americans who are pursuing Villa. I am in complete control of the situation here."

Gutierrez Leaves for Chihuahua.

General Gutierrez left here today for Chihuahua to take command of one of five columns of 1,200 men each who are declared by General Gaviira to be closing in on Villa in the Casas Grandes region.

General Berland who has been in command of the garrison at Palomas has gone to Guzman, according to General Gaviira, and will direct the operations of another of the five columns from that point.

In spite of General Gaviira's assurances, there was plainly visible here today a feeling of growing uneasiness among the American residents. Most of those who are in business here are spending the nights on the American side. Expressions of hostility by Mexicans have thus far been confined entirely to the civil population. Numerous instances were reported where Americans especially in the outlying sections, noticed Mexicans spitting on the pavement as they approached, a supreme insult in this country. The street cars between Juarez and El Paso are running in spite of the reports thruout the day that they were to be discontinued.

U. S. TO SUE CALIFORNIA CONCERNS FOR LUMBER POACHING

San Francisco, Mar. 15.—Suits for damages are to be filed against several large California companies by the U. S. district attorneys' office, following an investigation of charges against the lumber concerns preferred by the U. S. land office. The suits will seek to recover \$200,000, representing the value of the timber said to have been cut from government land.

According to Asst. Atty. Jared, the trespasses were committed before the present national reserves were established. The government will try to prove that the alleged trespass was wilful. Three large lumber companies are involved in the suits.

CANADIAN BISHOP CONDUCTS MISSION AT WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., Mar. 15.—Rev. John A. Richardson, lord bishop of Fredericton, Canada, is to conduct the mission at St. Thomas' Episcopal church which opens tomorrow. Last year he had charge of the mission services in connection with the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York, being very successful. While in Washington, the lord bishop is the guest of Rev. C. Ernest Smith.

WOULD WITHDRAW PHILIPPINE ARMY

Washington, Mar. 15.—Senator Sherman of Illinois, introduced in the senate today the house resolution to provide for withdrawal of the army from the Philippine Islands as quickly as possible in order to add to the available troops in the United States.

EXCITEMENT SUBSIDES.

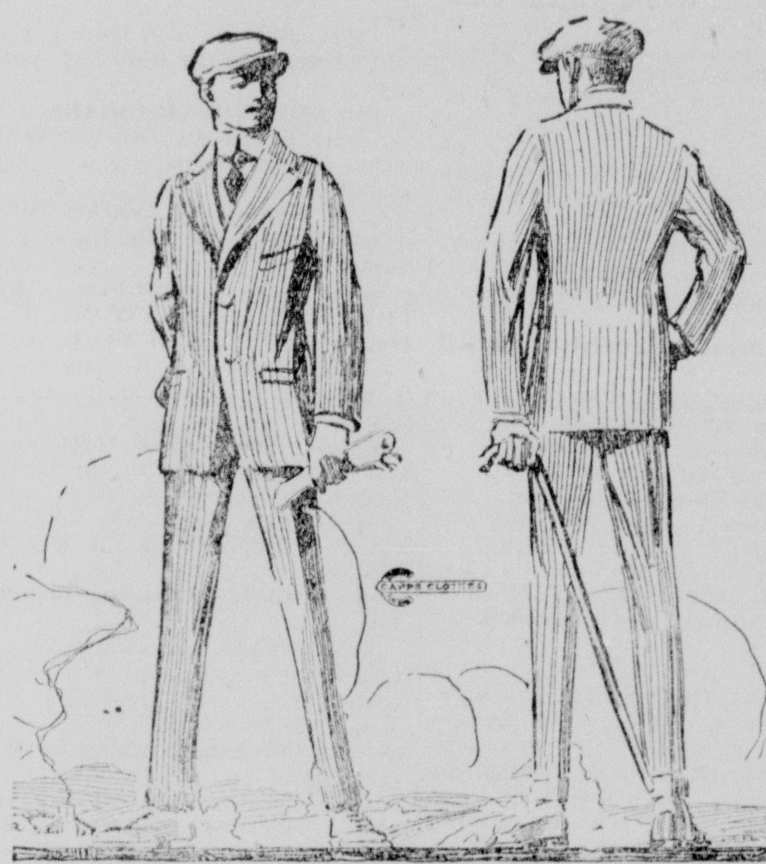
Torreon, Mexico, March 15.—Excitement of Mexicans over entry of American troops into Mexico had subsided considerably tonight. Forty Americans left here today for the United States and their train was reported late tonight safely past Hipolito which put it beyond the district where bandit attacks had been feared.

COMPLETE PUBLIC HEARINGS.

Washington, March 15.—The senate judiciary sub-committee considering the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court completed its public hearings today and adjourned until March 24th, when it is expected a vote of the recommendation to the full committee may be reached.

FORD DENIES TESTIMONY.

Detroit, Mich., Mar. 15.—Henry Ford does not undertake to regulate the martial affairs of his employees. This was learned today thru his denial of testimony given in a divorce case in Chicago.



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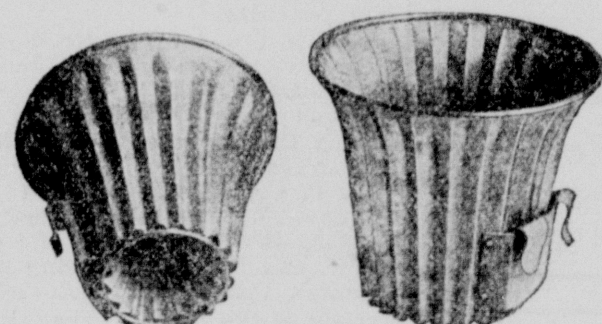
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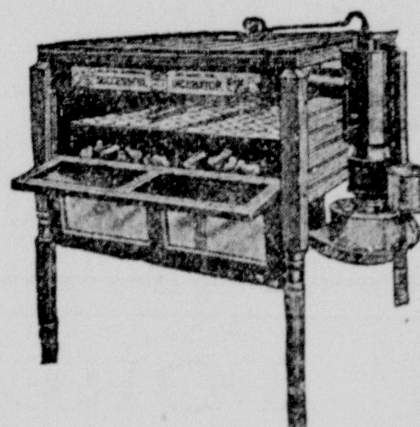


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MAKES FLIGHT.

Columbus, N. M., March 15.—The first aeroplane that Columbus ever saw soared gracefully over the border tonight from the remains of the military camp whence the American expeditionary forces started today in pursuit of Panchito Villa. After circling over the dreary Mexican plain the aeroplane returned to camp. Its flight marked the only action here since the departure of the expedition on Villa's trail. The town and neighborhood are absolutely quiet tonight. The censorship on military matter is strictly maintained.

GEN. BELL IN EL PASO.

El Paso, Texas, March 15.—Brig. Gen. George Bell, Jr., arrived here tonight from San Antonio to take command at Fort Bliss. He refused to make any statement beyond saying that he would remain here during General Pershing's absence.

PLACE EMBARGO ON ARMS.

Washington, March 15.—On request of the state department orders have been sent to collectors of customs at seaports of the United States and along the Mexican border to hold up all shipments of arms, ammunition or explosives consigned to Mexico except such as it is clearly established are designed for the de facto government.

The order was said tonight to be the outcome of information reaching the department that a large consignment of explosives intended for the Villa forces was about to be sent forth.

WHEELER IS GIVEN COMPLETE APPROVAL.

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 15.—Dr. J. A. Wheeler, clean-up sheriff of Sangamon county was today given complete approval by the special committee of the board of supervisors, appointed at the last session to investigate his office.

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Academy and Other Points

By Ensley Moore.

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It is difficult nowadays to realize how unsatisfactorily the education of women used to be considered and treated. While the College was given full reports as a matter of course, "Female schools" were treated differently, in manner and terms. The Morgan Journal of June 26, 1847, illustrated this fact as follows:

(Communicated by request).

Examination of the Jacksonville Female Academy.

It has been the custom of late, for the newspapers to give an account of every commencement and examination, in so diffuse a style of compliment, as to leave little room for commendation, in such exercises, when richly deserved.

It would however, be doing injustice to our own feelings, and to those of the numerous assemblage of our intelligent citizens and strangers, who attended the examination, held on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, at the Female Academy in this place, did we allow our disinclination to seem to follow in the path of wholesale flattery, to prevent expressing the most unbounded satisfaction and giving utterance to the feelings of unwonted pleasure, which those exercises afforded.

In regard to the general character of the examination, it will be sufficient to say that our own observation accords perfectly with the opinions expressed by several gentlemen of education, who have enjoyed intimate acquaintance with the most celebrated scholars of our land; that in no respect did not fall short of what they had witnessed in them, and that manifestly it gives testimony that this institution is one of high order and is deservedly entitled to the patronage and confidence of all those interested in the great cause of education.

It would be grateful to our feelings to speak particularly of all the exercises, in which we were interested, but it will be impossible to give but a passing notice of a few. The difficulty of hearing distinctly consequent upon the necessary confusion of so large an audience, and lack of confidence in themselves, on the part of some of the pupils, will prevent our noticing many things richly entitled to commendation.

The first recitation was by a class from the primary department, under the charge of Miss Fitch, which reflected credit on themselves, as well as on their instructress, and shows an acquaintance with the subject of "Botany" which would do honor to old scholars.

The class in "Arithmetic" showed themselves familiar with their subject. Two of the young ladies in particular displayed uncommon proficiency.

Particular attention is paid in this school to "English Grammar" under the training of Mr. Williams, the Principal; and the class at examination fully equalled the high expectation we had been led to form of them, from a remark made a short time ago, by a gentleman who chanced to be present at the time of daily recitation, and whose situation as teacher in one of the largest grammar schools in the country and as author of the most popular grammar in the Eastern States, made him competent to form a correct estimation of their proficiency; that "he should be unwilling to bring even one of his own classes in competition with this."

The recitation in "Roman History" conducted by Miss Kimball, was exceedingly satisfactory to those acquainted with the subject, and showed to all that the teacher had succeeded admirably in carrying her scholars with herself to a perfect familiarity with the subject.

In the exercises of the afternoon, it is difficult to discriminate which were the best. The classes in Botany, Moral science, Ecclesiastical History and Astronomy, have not been and cannot be surpassed in any other school with which we have been acquainted, and in speaking thus, we only respect the opinion expressed by gentlemen of extended acquaintance in the literary world as formed by and true of themselves. Wednesday morning was quite interesting to all. The beautiful appearance which the uniform attire of the school this day presented, setting off to good advantage, what charms nature had kindly bestowed in rich profusion on all, gave a pleasing effect.

We were particularly interested in the first study of the morning, that of Geometry, affording as it did in connection with the recitation in Arithmetic the previous day, so complete a refutation of a remark we heard as expressed at a former examination; coming from a source which ought to have been able to judge more correctly, "that they have no Mathematics here." This branch of study under the care of Miss Kimball, receives as careful attention as can anywhere else be given to it. We took pains beforehand to ascertain how the recitation was to be conducted. The class were prepared—well prepared to answer questions in any part of the five books of Euclid studied in colleges, and they did not know in what part of the whole Geometry they were to be called upon to recite, and yet the demonstrations would have done credit to any recitation room. So that it able to conduct a branch of study on the part of the teacher and accuracy on the part of the scholars testify anything in this case

they do testify that so far from Mathematics being neglected here, they receive all that attention which their high importance demands.

The class in Bible History of which Mrs. Williams had charge, more than sustained the reputation they had acquired in their previous studies. Mrs. Williams certainly deserves no small amount of credit for the manner in which the recitation was conducted, showing a peculiar fitness for teaching this valuable and deeply interesting branch of study.

We cannot speak of the compositions as we would. It was impossible to hear them distinctly enough to form an opinion in regard to each one of them. All who speak of them, represent them as of more than common excellence. Of those we were able to hear, we would notice particularly those of Miss Ker, Miss Sarah Dayton, Miss Wilbur, Miss Van Pelt, one of "true greatness," "Buena Vista" by Miss Dunlap, "Log Cabins" by Miss Geers, "War" by Miss Smith, and "Smiles and Tears" by Miss Harriet Holmes. The last being the valedictory address was written and read in a superior manner, was listened to with deep attention by all and elicited warm expressions of admiration.

I have not spoken of the vocal music, conducted by the teacher in Mathematics. That spoke plainly and sweetly enough for itself and interspersed as it was with the other exercises it gave variety and beauty to all. It is an ornament which is unsurpassed and as long as remains under the charge of its present teacher, we hope we may often have the pleasure of listening to the tones it brings forth there.

The Callisthenic class by their graceful movements and the beauty of their appearance, elicited universal admiration. We like your "weaving" girls. May the kind fate weave for you as bright a destiny as sparkling eyes and glowing countenances deserve.

The degrees were conferred upon twelve young ladies as having completed their course in a satisfactory manner. Their names are:

Miss Amelia Dayton.
Miss Sarah D. Dayton.
Miss Mary Geers.
Miss Harriet A. Holmes.
Miss Eliza J. Smith.
Miss Henrietta F. Wilbur.
Miss Mary E. Dayton.
Miss Jane English.
Miss Susan Harl.
Miss Emily R. Ker.
Miss Martha Smith.
Miss Julia E. Witherbee.

May the smiles of heaven attend this interesting band as they go forth to their station in life, and may the allowed influence which has been thrown around them, while preparing to occupy those stations with usefulness, ever preserve them in their course, and be the means in the hands of God in binding them all in a closer union hereafter, which shall never be broken.

The farewell song prepared by the brother of the Principal of the Academy and sung at the close of the exercises, we give as follows:

Then the song was given in full. There were four verses "sung by the whole school;" four "sung by the Senior Class;" one "response by rest of school;" and "Chorus" of one verse.

As to the marriage relations of the graduates, as was said of the graduates of '47 from Illinois College, "they did well"—most, if not all.

Sarah D. Dayton married Dr. Newton Bateman; Jane English, John B. Morris; Mary Geers, Abner Yates; Susan Harl, first Judge Clegg then Hon. Chas. P. King, both of Peoria; Harriet A. Holmes, Rev. Wm. Strawn; Emily Ker, Edward J. Hall; Eliza J. Smith, Capt. Jas. A. McKay; Henrietta F. Wilbur, Thos. J. Van Dorn, and Julia E. Witherbee, Hon. Wm. Jayne.

Dr. Jayne is the only one positively known as still living—in Springfield, Ill.

Attention was called, last week, to the reckless manner in which the editor of 1847 treated the English language. Perhaps therefore, it would be unnecessary to quote the following, as an addendum to the graduating exercises of the Academy:

"Married."

At the Female Academy in this place, on Thursday, the 24th inst., by Rev. W. H. Williams, Mr. T. J. Van Dorn and Miss Henrietta F. Wilbur.

Beautiful curve in the river of life, where the stream pauses as if to linger reluctantly with happiness and to joy among the rustling sedges of affection, ere it forever passes on! Oh! may aerial hands weave beautiful spells for the all-confiding ones, and with vigils unseen keep them from the earth's polluting footsteps, and from all life's harsher influences, in the gentle and spotless virtue which claims kindred with the beautiful ideal of the world."

In the same old Journal just quoted from, is an advertisement of portable grist mills, by King & Co., of St. Louis. Among other features of it is this: "One of the above described Mills is now in operation and can be seen at the foundry of A. Hammond in this place. Having witnessed its grinding both Wheat and Corn at the rate of six bushels

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THE LONG VISIT.

"My sister Agatha writes me that she will come and visit me for a month if it will not inconvenience us," said Mrs. Jamesworthy. "I haven't seen her for several years, and of course I wrote and told her to come."

"Of course you did," assented Jamesworthy. "If the Grand Llama of Tibet wrote that he contemplated visiting us for twenty-nine years, you would write and tell him to take the first train. When it comes to a large, open-handed hospitality, you have the record, Mrs. Jamesworthy."

"It will be all right for your sister, to come. I think relatives should see each other now and then, but what's the use of coming for a month? When a woman stays that long, it ceases to be a visit, and becomes a visitation. Nobody should ever visit for more than three days. One day is about the right thing."

"When Agatha has been here twenty-four hours, you will have discussed everything and everybody you can think of. She will have bored you with a long story about the shining qualities of her husband, and you will have bored her with an endless account of my merits and virtues."

"When a married woman is at home alone with her husband, she seems to look upon him as poor excuse. She's always finding fault with him, saying that he doesn't wash his ears properly, and the way he lets his shoes go without blacking is a

shame and disgrace. You are always reminding me that my clothes look as though they were fished out of a garbage can, and my bad taste in neckties causes you untold grief."

"Yet when Mrs. Toplofty was here one day, I overheard you telling her that my mind was engaged with pondering and molder things than raiment. You seemed filled with pardonable pride over the fact that I am rather slovenly in my dress. I think this an admirable quality in women. I don't believe husbands ever try to make virtues of their wives' shortcomings. I never discuss you at all, among my friends, but if I did, I would pass over your blemishes in silence."

"I think Agatha has the cheapest husband in the United States. He's never been able to make a decent living for his family, and I'll bet Agatha has earned by sewing the money she will spend coming here. Her husband is a little shriveled up sawed-off who always seems to be apologizing for infesting this foot-stool, yet when his devoted wife comes here she'll be bragging him up to the skies, and quoting his words of wisdom as though he wore the mantle of Moses, the law-giver."

"And you, knowing full well that I am a total loss, barely able by herculean struggles in the changing mart to keep out of the poor-house, will boast me as though I were the president of the Standard Oil company. By all means, let Agatha come, Mrs. Jamesworthy."

TELEPHONES FOR WABASH.

In a short time an experiment will be made on the Springfield division of the Wabash with the object of eliminating many messages, by the use of a composite telephone and telegraph circuit. The telephonic communication to be done through telegraph wires. An instrument has been offered which will be placed at Bluffs. Instruments have already been installed in Decatur and Springfield. If the experiment proves successful, more composite telephone and telegraph instruments may be installed. It is not necessary to string new wire for the latest plan, but requires only the necessary apparatus, making it possible to telephone and telegraph over a wire at the same time. With this system it is possible for officials who are not telegraphers to talk to another official or employ at other points—Decatur Review.

ALLEN IMPROVEMENT CLUB.

The Allen Improvement club will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Bethel A. M. E. church.

HONOR FOR COACH ROSS.

Howard Ross of Mt. Vernon, a 1913 graduate of Illinois college, was greeted by a brass band and a crowd of hundreds of citizens when he returned to DuQuoin Sunday with his championship southern Illinois basketball team from Decatur where the DuQuoin players won third place in the state tournament. Coach Ross and his players were carried on the shoulders of admirers in a parade thru the business section.

RECEIPTS AT TOURNAMENT.

Decatur, Ill., March 15—Receipts for the 1916 state basketball tournament were \$400 ahead of last year and attendance reached 3,794 for three days' games, according to announcement at the Decatur high school. Few kinks were registered from visiting schools and Principal Jesse H. Newlon expressed himself as well pleased with the conduct of the tournament.

Frank Colwell of Alexander was attracted to the city by business interests yesterday.

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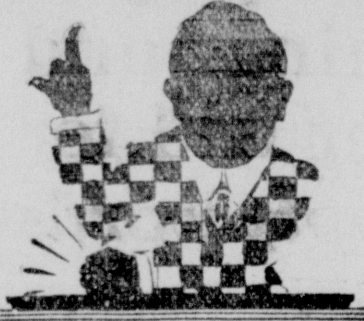
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"Dr. F. N. Wells begs leave respectfully to inform the citizens of Lick Creek and vicinity, that he has located himself, for the practice of his profession, at Mr. Johnson's, near Colburn's Mill, where he would be happy to serve all who may favor him with a call."

At the approaching election, on the first Monday in August, the following patriots announced themselves, or were announced by friends as candidates for office from constable to probate judge: Col. J. P. Wright, J. W. Hook Wesley Mathers, Jr., Matthew Stacy, W. B. Warren, Jas. Berdan, Lewis Hatfield, Philomen B. Price, Josiah M. Lucas, G. M. Richards, Thos. H. Smith, Chas. Packard, Peter Hedenberg, Wm. Black, Jeremiah McKay, Thos. Ford, Harvey Rount, Emanuel Metcalf, Jr., and Franklin H. Patterson.

W. W. Happy, O. M. Long and B. Gillett, Building Committee, advertise for proposals to furnish materials to be used in the construction of the Illinois State Hospital for the Insane. Among other things were "about 20,000 feet of 2 inch plank black walnut, sound and clear, for door and window frames." Joist could be delivered any time but the black walnut for door and window frames must be delivered before the first of November.

"New Firm. Goltra & Stryker, Manufacturers and Dealers in hats and caps, at the old stand of J. W. Goltra. * * * * * Most kinds of country produce will be taken in exchange for goods." This was Henry Stryker, Sr. The "ad" was dated May 7, 1847.

Edward Cochrane was selling books—no place of business stated. J. W. King advertised "a lot of land, in Jacksonville, containing six and two thirds acres, situated between the residence of Dennis Rockwell, Esq., and that of Mr. A. Bulkley," probably it was not far from where the "O. J." articles are written.

Jackson & Gillett were advertisers, besides others here-to-fore mentioned, as was Jas. Harkness. The first "Jimmie" Jackson and Dr. B. Gillett. The latter then lived in what is now known as the Fitzsimon's house, on Grove street.

MAY CLEAR MYSTERY**IN FLORIST'S DEATH**

Lowell, Mass., Mar. 15.—When the hearing in the case of Albert J. Roper, who is held in connection with the murder of his father, Albert W. Roper, a Tewksbury florist, is called today in the local court, it is believed that the police will ask for a further postponement. For they have been sifting out the totally opposite clues as to whether or not young Roper was in Tewksbury on the night of the murder, and may ask for more time to examine other witnesses in the alibi case. Roper was arraigned a week ago last Friday, charged with the murder of his father, and pleaded not guilty. He relies upon an alibi supported by three women, all of whom swear that he was in Boston and in their company on the night of the murder. The elder Roper met death on the night of March 1, in one of his greenhouses. He was struck over the head with a blunt instrument believed to be a piece of iron pipe.

A support of the state's case against young Roper, it is said that evidence has been gathered from persons who saw him in Tewksbury on the night of March 1. The motive will be ascribed as robbery, for it is known that the elder Roper carried a large amount of money.

CLOTHIERS DINE AND**DISCUSS TROUBLES**

New York, March 15.—Interest in present day problems confronting the trade and a keen desire to cooperate with one another in facing these difficulties is manifested in the gathering of prominent clothiers of the United States who will hold their annual dinner and talk-rest tonight. Fraudulent advertising, the need of stimulating the sheep-raising industry in America, labor troubles and other subjects affecting the clothing trade will be discussed by the speakers.

TOURNAMENT OPENS TODAY.

Chicago, Mar. 15.—Opening games in the tournament for the National A. A. U. basketball champion begin tomorrow in the Illinois Athletic Club Gymnasium. Thirteen fives are entered, including the Olympic Athletic Club team of San Francisco which won the championship last year.

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**COL. EDWIN F. GLENN DECLARES
UNITED STATES ARMY IS PATHETIC**

Chief of Staff of Department of East States Army Is Like a Fly Gazed at thru the Wrong End of the Telescope.

New York, March 15.—Edwin F. Glenn, chief of staff of the department of the east, U. S. A., in an address tonight at an "Army and Navy Dinner" given by the Sphinx club, declared that the United States army is pathetic and all the other nations know it.

"We have been occupying the Mexico border for four years," began Colonel Glenn. "Two-thirds of our army—or 22,000 men—have been there. We have only 22,000 there and 9,000 to reinforce them. They are scattered from the Texas border to the Pacific coast.

"If it wasn't pathetic it would be farcical, laughable.

"Our army is like a fly gazed at thru the wrong end of the telescope. Until the European war came you have shown as much interest in our army as you would in a fly.

He said that the Spanish-American war brought the United States forward as a world power and therefore it must accept the obligations of a world power.

"We must have force," continued Colonel Glenn, "behind our nation. We must have force behind any note our president may send or any action he may take. Here are you gentlemen sitting here. You could not go to war. Most of you are too old. The others of you are not to go to war. You are not trained."

Reverting again to the Mexican situation he said:

"Some of us have had experience in capturing a man in his own country, a man who has his own friends. I tell you it is not a matter of a day. It is a matter of months, maybe years.

"We are told we are not going to war, but to capture Villa, let us look at the reverse side. Suppose Mexico announced she was going to send five thousand, ten thousand or twenty thousand men into this country. How long would we stand for it?"

"Do you think Mexico is going to stand for it. Would you respect her if she did?"

"I have made a study of the Mexican situation and I have figured that if we are going in there to stabilize the government, it will take five years at a minimum and from 400,000 to 500,000 men to do it properly."

REFUGEES DECLARE THEY CAN**GAUNTLET OF CURSES**

DOUGLAS, Ariz., March 15.—American refugees who arrived here today from Nacozari declared they had run a gauntlet of curses hurled at their train by Carranza soldiers who lined the tracks at Cabullona.

Refugees from Cananea reported that General Calles has placed that town under martial law. A decree had been posted in all public places they said, stating that no person would be allowed to remain who is not engaged in business there or can give a satisfactory reason for his presence. The hotel registers are watched closely and all train arrivals closely examined. Police patrols armed with rifles and revolvers paraded the streets night and day and have orders to disperse crowds and prohibit loitering. The refugees assert that several men have been shot on the streets for not moving as quickly as the patrols thought desirable. They also maintain that the majority of the people of the town are sympathetic with Villa. The mines and smelters are said to be still working their full forces.

RESUME FIGHT FOR**LOWER ELECTRICITY RATES**

Trenton, N. J., Mar. 15.—The investigation by the Public Utilities Commission into the rates charged by the Public Service Electric Company will be resumed here today. The New Jersey League of Municipalities is backing all communities interested in securing lower rates for electricity. Expert valuation of the property of the lighting company is being completed, under supervision of the state authorities, with a view to determining a rate for electricity that will be beneficial to the consumers and still furnish a profit for the company on its investment. Some doubts have been expressed as to the valuation figures, it being pointed out that the expert who drew them up has been generous to the electric company, and that this same expert is employed by a utility company in Philadelphia to fight against proceedings there for lower rates.

STALLION REACHES ST. JOHN.

St. John, March 15.—The king's stallion Anmer, whose career in the derby of 1913 was suddenly stopped when Miss Davidson, a suffragette, clutched his bridle on the race track and was killed, arrived here today from England. He has been given to the Canadian government by King George for breeding remounts.

SUSPENDED DR. HAISELDEN.

Chicago, Mar. 15.—Dr. H. J. Haiselden was suspended from membership in the Chicago Medical society tonight for "conduct unbecoming the ethics of the profession." This action was the result of the Baby Blinger case. Dr. Haiselden has the right to appeal to the Illinois Medical society.

DETERMINED TO**CONTINUE STRIKE**

Sioux City, Iowa, Mar. 15.—Determination to continue the strike of Cudahy Packing House workers until reinstatement of the seven discharged employees has been brought about was decided upon definitely at a meeting of the strike committee held late today.

MOONSHINE CASES**IN ATLANTA COURT**

Atlanta, March 15.—Moonshine, white slavery and mail fraud cases feature the term of the Federal court which opens today. The illicit distilling cases will be taken up today and tomorrow, the defendants coming from many places, all charged with making and selling liquor without a federal license. On Thursday, H. L. Igou and A. P. Cox will be tried on charges of violation of the Mann act, in bringing Irene Wrenn and Grace Taylor to Atlanta from Chattanooga for alleged immoral purposes. After these cases are disposed of, Carlos O'Shields will be tried for taking Ollie Davis, 17 years old, from Atlanta to Durham, N. C., on promise of marriage.

It is charged he took what money she had and left her to drift for herself. W. A. Hooks, W. A. Peebles and Simon Akers will be tried in connection with the alleged use of the mails to defraud, in a lumber deal. R. P. Brown, a prominent farmer of Rockdale, will be tried for peonage, it being claimed he worked negroes under bondage.

Palmyra, Mo., March 15.—Marion county democrats in convention here today telegraphed President Wilson as follows: "We the democrats in convention assembled, assure you that we are with you. We want peace but American lives must be protected and American rights upheld."

Before you buy a farm tractor—

it behooves you to skin your eyes and approach the matter with exceeding wariness.

The business of making small, low-priced tractors is young. But it's popular. More than a hundred concerns have taken out tractor patents in the last two years.

The infant tractor industry today resembles the infant automobile industry of a few years ago. Some manufacturers have rushed into it blindly. Some tractors will do the work and some will not. Some farmers will suffer.

A man who has no ax to grind has been investigating the whole tractor situation. He has learned a good deal that you can profitably learn before you loosen up on your tractor money. He tells what he learned in a series of articles—*The Tractor*—and the first appears today in

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

Also in this issue:

A Fruitman-Shepherd

An account of a personally conducted visit to the farm of David K. Bell, with whom taking first prizes for pears and sheep has become a habit.

Pigs that Cost Less

A discussion of hog breeding from the dollars-and-cents viewpoint—and it certainly makes a difference whether a newborn pig costs fifty cents or five dollars.

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A practical, authoritative talk on the classification of soils and the manner of laying out a system of tile drains.

Corn in the Classroom

In which it appears that a farm-bred boy can go to the right kind of a school and learn a whole lot about making corn raising more profitable.

Stabilizing Farm Credits

Suddenly the country has awakened to the fact that something has happened in Congress having to do with rural credits. What?

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SPECULATION IS MORE PRONOUNCED
FEATURE OF STOCK MARKET

Trading is Active but Lacks the Breadth and Strength of Previous Session.

New York, March 15.—Speculation was a more pronounced feature of today's market, public interest except in a few stocks, being again negligible. Trading was active, but lacked the breadth and extent of yesterday's session. Some speculations, notably Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive and American Car were under restraint as were also such miscellaneous issues as the distillers group and a few of the more obscure shares among the rails.

Bethlehem Steel which sold minus its first quarterly dividend of 7 1/2 per cent, registered an extreme loss of 24 at 51 1/2 and United States Steel was under moderate but persistent pressure, the never yielding more than a fraction.

Reading was the chief sustaining feature of the list, its rise of 2 1/2 to 89 on very heavy trading during the forenoon being attended by rumors that it was being bought for Rockefeller interests.

Westinghouse and General Electric led the recognized munitions issues. Motors and allied shares, particularly Goodrich, were appreciably higher and metals recovered from their recent lethargy.

Sugar came forward at irregular gains, Cuban American rising 2 1/2 to the new high record of 23 1/2.

In the final hour, when standard shares were reflecting continued profit-taking, Mexican Petroleum, Texas company and American Smelting rose on extensive absorption, Mexican making an extreme advance of 7 1/2 to 110. Total sales, 912,000 shares.

Weakness of franks was the feature of the exchange market, marks holding yesterday's later recovery.

New York Stock List

Allis-Chalmers	32 1/2
Amer. Beet Sugar	72 1/2
Amer. Can	62 1/2
Amer. Car and Foundry	73
Amer. Locomotive	81 1/2
Amer. Smelting and Refining	102 1/2
Amer. Sugar Refining	105 1/2
Amer. Tel. and Tel.	102 1/2
Anaconda Copper	87 1/2
Atchafalpa	104
Baldwin Locomotive	111 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	89 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	51 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Transit	85 1/2
Butte and Superior	93 1/2
California Petroleum	25
Canadian Pacific	168 1/2
Central Leather	54 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	62 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	95 1/2
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry.	13 1/2
Chino Copper	53 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	46 1/2
Corn Products	22 1/2
Crucible Steel	92 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande	15
Erie	37 1/2
General Electric	17 1/2
Goodrich Co.	75
Great Northern Ore Cts.	45 1/2
Great Northern pfd.	122 1/2
Illinois Central	102 1/2
Interborough Consol. Corp.	17 1/2
Inter. Harvester, N. J.	109 1/2
Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd. cts.	70 1/2
Lackawanna Steel	80 1/2
Lehigh Valley	79 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	12 1/2
Maxwell Motor Co.	62 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	109 1/2
Miami Copper	37
Missouri, Kansas and Texas pfd.	11
Missouri Pacific	54
National Lead	67 1/2
New York Central	105 1/2
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	67
Norfolk and Western	12 1/2
Northern Pacific	11 1/2
Pennsylvania	57 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper	24 1/2
Reading	88 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel	53 1/2
Southern Pacific	99 1/2
Southern Railway	21 1/2
Studebaker Co.	14 1/2
Texas Co.	20 1/2
Tennessee Copper	58
Union Pacific	134 1/2
United States Rubber	64
United States Steel	88 1/2
United States Steel pfd.	117 1/2
Utah Copper	83
Wabash Pfd. B.	27 1/2
Western Union	90 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	76 1/2
Kennecott Copper	75 1/2

New York Bond List.	
U. S. ref. 2s, registered	99 1/2
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	99 1/2
U. S. 2s, registered	102 1/2
U. S. 2s, coupon	102 1/2
U. S. 4s, registered	111 1/2
U. S. 4s, coupon	111 1/2
Panama 3s, coupon	103 1/2

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.	
Chicago, March 15.—Wheat—No. 2 hard winter, \$1.10 1/2; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.05 1/2; No. 4 hard winter, \$1.00; No. 1 Nor. Spr., \$1.14 1/2; No. 2 Nor. Spr., \$1.12 1/2; No. 3 Nor. Spr., \$1.06 1/2; No. 4 Nor. Spr., \$1.04 1/2.	
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 74 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 71 1/2; No. 5 yellow, 67 1/2.	
Oats—No. 3 white, 43 1/2; No. 4 white, 41 1/2; standard, 40 1/2.	

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SERIOUS CROP DAMAGE REPORTS
GIVE DECIDED STRENGTH TO WHEAT

Outcome Is a Steady Close at 1 1/2 to 1 1/2 Cents net Higher—Corn and Oats Gain.

Chicago, March 15.—Serious crop damage reports from the soft winter states gave decided strength today to the wheat market here. The outcome was a steady close, 1 1/2 to 1 1/2 @ 1 1/2 net higher with May at \$1.10 1/2 to \$1.10 and July at \$1.05 1/2. Corn gained 1/2 @ 1/2 to 1/2 and oats 1/2 to 1/2 @ 1/2. Provisions finished unchanged to 7 1/2 lower.

Missouri and Illinois in particular flooded the wheat trade with dispatches telling of winter killed crops. According to some reports the destruction amounted to as much as 20 to 30 per cent. Numerous cases were mentioned where whole fields had been so injured that the ground would be plowed up and replanted with corn and oats, instead of wheat. Adverse weather that pointed to a decreased acreage in Canada tended also to handicap the bears.

Corn rose on account of the strength in wheat and as a result of the scantiness of arrivals here. In oats, the dominating influence was the prospect of a big reduction soon in Chicago stocks.

Provisions gave way with hogs. It was said too that recent advances had checked the cash demand.

HOG PRICES ARE DEPRESSED BY
LIBERAL RECEIPTS THRUOUT WEST

Packers and Shippers Show Unusual Caution in Buying Cattle.

Chicago, March 15.—Hog values were depressed today by liberal receipts throughout the west and by a large left-over supply here. Packers and shippers showed unusual caution in buying cattle. Sheep and lambs, however, were in active demand from killers and feeders.

Hogs—Receipts, 40,000. Market weak at 5c to 10c decline. Bulk, \$9.55 @ 9.55; light, \$9.30 @ 9.35; mixed, \$9.45 @ 9.50; heavy, \$9.40 @ 9.45; rough, \$9.45 @ 9.55; pigs, \$8.00 @ 9.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 15,000. Market weak. Native beef steers, \$7.60 @ 9.55; western steers, \$7.40 @ 8.60; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 8.20; cows and heifers, \$3.80 @ 8.75; calves, \$8.25 @ 11.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000. Market firm. Wethers, \$8.20 @ 8.90; ewes, \$6.00 @ 8.05; lambs, \$9.50 @ 11.50.

St. Louis Livestock Market. St. Louis, March 15.—Hogs—Receipts, 11,900. Market 10c lower. Pigs and lights, \$7.00 @ 9.75; mixed and butchers, \$9.55 @ 9.90; good heavy, \$9.85 @ 9.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,500. Market steady. Native beef steers, \$7.50 @ 9.60; yearling steers and heifers, \$8.50 @ 9.50; cows, \$5.50 @ 8.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50 @ 7.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,900. Market strong. Yearling wethers, \$8.00 @ 10.00; lambs, \$9.00 @ 11.55; ewes, \$6.50 @ 8.25.

Kansas City Livestock Market. Kansas City, March 15.—Hogs—Receipts, 13,000. Market 5c lower. Bulk, \$9.40 @ 9.65; heavy, \$9.60 @ 9.70; light, \$9.30 @ 9.55; pigs, \$7.75 @ 8.75.

Cattle—Receipts, 5,500. Market steady. Steers, \$7.50 @ 9.75; cows, \$5.00 @ 7.75; heifers, \$7.00 @ 9.75; calves, \$6.50 @ 11.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000. Market steady to 10c higher. Lambs, \$10.85 @ 11.25; yearlings, \$9.25 @ 10.00; wethers, \$7.75 @ 8.50; ewes, \$7.25 @ 8.15.

Omaha Livestock Market. Omaha, March 15.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,000. Market lower. Heavy, \$9.20 @ 9.45; light, \$9.10 @ 9.35; pigs, \$8.00 @ 9.00; bulk, \$9.15 @ 9.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,200. Market lower. Steers, \$7.50 @ 9.25; cows and heifers, \$5.50 @ 7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,500. Market steady. Yearlings, \$8.50 @ 10.00; wethers, \$7.75 @ 8.50; lambs, \$10.50 @ 11.30.

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Open High Low Close
Wheat—
May, \$1.08 1/2; \$1.10 1/2; \$1.07 1/2; \$1.10 1/2.
July, 1.06 1/2; 1.09 1/2; 1.06 1/2; 1.08 1/2.
Sept., 1.05 1/2; 1.08 1/2; 1.05 1/2; 1.07 1/2.

CORN	
May	.76 1/2 .77 1/2 .76 1/2 .77
July	.77 .77 1/2 .76 1/2 .77 1/2
Sept.	.77 .77 1/2 .77 .77 1/2
OATS	
May	.44 1/2 .45 1/2 .44 1/2 .45
July	.43 1/2 .44 1/2 .43 1/2 .44 1/2
Sept.	.43 1/2 .44 1/2 .43 1/2 .44 1/2
PORK	
May	22.85 23.00 22.75 22.97
July	22.50 22.75 22.50 22.75
LARD	
May	10.95 11.00 10.87 10.94
July	11.20 11.25 11.12 11.22
RIBS	
May	12.12 12.12 12.02 12.10
July	12.35 12.35 12.22 12.30
TUESDAY'S CLOSE—WHEAT: May, 1.08 1/2; July, 1.07 1/2; Corn: May, 1.08 1/2; July, 1.07 1/2; Oats: May, 44 1/2; July, 43 1/2.	

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.	
St. Louis, March 15.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.17 @ 1.17 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.11 @ 1.13; No. 4 red, \$1.06 @ 1.07; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.07 @ 1.07 1/2; No. 4 hard winter, \$1.03 @ 1.04.	
Corn—No. 2, 74 1/2; No. 3, 71 1/2; No. 4, 69 1/2; No. 2 white, 74 1/2; No. 3 white, 71 1/2; No. 4 white, 70 1/2; No. 2 yellow, 73 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 71 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 68 1/2.	
Oats—No. 2, 43 1/2; No. 3, 40 1/2; No. 4, 41 1/2; No. 3 white, 41 1/2; No. 4 white, 41 1/2.	

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.	
Kansas City, March 15.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$1.05 @ 1.12; No. 2 red, \$1.05 @ 1.10.	
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 69 @ 69 1/2; No. 2 white, 70c; No. 2 yellow, 71 1/2c.	
Oats—No. 2 white, 42 1/2 @ 45 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 40 @ 42c.	
Rye, 85 @ 86c.	
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TOLEDO GRAIN MARKET.

Toledo, March 15.—Wheat—Cash, \$1.13 1/2; May, \$1.13 1/2; July, \$1.13 1/2. No. 4 yellow, 70 @ 71c; No. 5 yellow, 66 @ 67c; No. 3 mixed, 71 1/2; No. 4 mixed, 68 @ 68 1/2; sample, 57 1/2 @ 60c.

HOME MARKET.

Spring Chickens 15
Chickens, old 12
Butter 12
Eggs 17
Lard 11 1/2
Bacon 11 1/2
Turkeys 11 1/2
Potatoes 1.00
Beets 1.00
Cabbage, doz. 40
Apples 65

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, March 15.—Mercantile paper, 3 @ 3 1/4.
Bar silver, 56 1/2.
Mexican dollars, 45 1/2.
Time loans firm, 2 1/2 @ 2 1/2.
Call money high, 2; low, 2; closing bid, 2.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

Minneapolis, March 15.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.16 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.12 1/2 @ 1.15 1/2; to arrive, \$1.12 @ 1.14 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.08 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2; No. 3 wheat, \$1.04 1/2 @ 1.08 1/2.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.

New York, March 15.—Wheat—Spot strong. No. 1 Durum, \$1.29 1/2; No. 2 hard, \$1.25 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.34 1/2; and No. 1 northern, \$1.47 1/2 f. o. b. New York.
Puttens, firmer, May, \$1.18 1/2.
Corn—Spot firm. No. 2 yellow, 85 @ 85 1/2 c. f. New York.
Oats—Spot firm.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.

Peoria, Ill., March 15.—Corn unchanged. No. 6 white, 62 1/2 @ 63c; No. 4 yellow, 70 @ 71c; No. 5 yellow, 66 @ 67c; No. 3 mixed, 71 1/2; No. 4 mixed, 68 @ 68 1/2; sample, 57 1/2 @ 60c.

HOME MARKET.

Spring Chickens 15
Chickens, old 12
Butter 12
Eggs 17
Lard 11 1/2
Bacon 11 1/2
Turkeys 11 1/2
Potatoes 1.00
Beets 1.00
Cabbage, doz. 40
Apples 65

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, March 15.—Mercantile paper, 3 @ 3 1/4.
Bar silver, 56 1/2.
Mexican dollars, 45 1/2.
Time loans firm, 2 1/2 @ 2 1/2.
Call money high, 2; low, 2; closing bid, 2.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

Minneapolis, March 15.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.16 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.12 1/2 @ 1.15 1/2; to arrive, \$1.12 @ 1.14 1/2; No. 2 northern, \$1.08 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2; No. 3 wheat, \$1.04 1/2 @ 1.08 1/2.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET.

New York, March 15.—Wheat—Spot strong. No. 1 Durum, \$1.29 1/2; No. 2 hard, \$1.25 1/2; No. 1 northern, \$1.34 1/2; and No. 1 northern, \$1.47 1/2 f. o. b. New York.
Puttens, firmer, May, \$1.18 1/2.
Corn—Spot firm. No. 2 yellow, 85 @ 85 1/2 c. f. New York.
Oats—Spot firm.

COAL OPERATORS SHOW
THAT ADVANCES WILL COME

Change in Conditions Mean Additional Cost of 10 Cents per Ton.

Coal operators are circularizing trade with letters calling attention to the advance in mining rates which was recently granted at the conference between mine operators and representatives of the mining union. Emphasis is laid also upon other increase in cost so that the dealers are warned that the operators must charge at least 10c per ton more for coal following April 1. The operators show that the advance in the mining rate alone is 6c per ton. This is figured on the 3c additional per ton paid to diggers, the 2c additional for men working on the daily wage scale, and 1c for other men doing special work. The 4c in addition to the increase in mining scale is made up by higher cost for explosives and increased price for rails, steel, copper, lumber, lubricants and other supplies which the mine operators must use.

BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL.

Carl Funk, who for several days has been very ill at his home in Exeter, was brought to Our Savior's hospital for treatment Wednesday morning. He arrived at 3 o'clock via the Wabash.

BROUGHT FROM WOODSON.

Mrs. Martha Taylor, residing south of Woodson, is seriously ill at Peasland hospital. She was brought to the city Tuesday in Cherokee's Red Cross ambulance.

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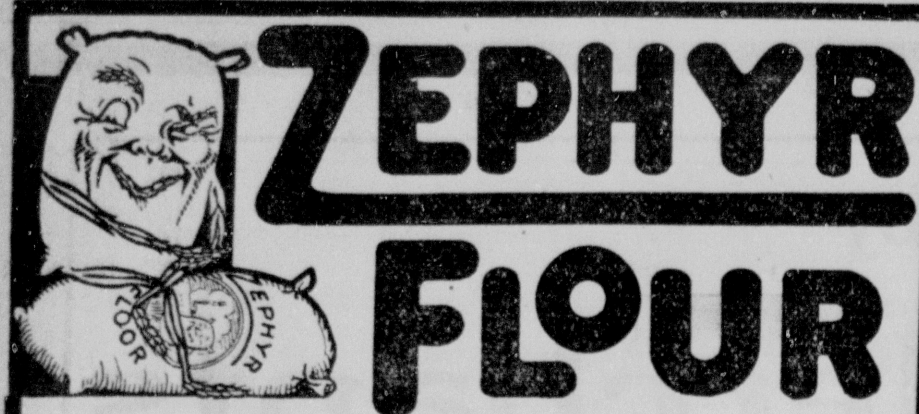
Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

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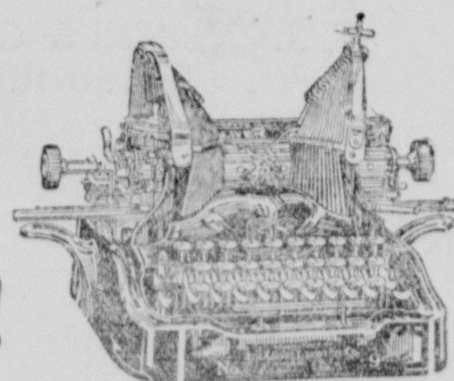
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NATIONAL SAFETY AND THE HABEAS CORPUS LAW

Lincoln Suspended Act, and Congress Backed Him Up.

Washington March 15.—The suspension of the habeas corpus privilege that guarantee against arbitrary imprisonment, is a subject of much interest in Washington, particularly in view of the warlike conditions of the times and the frequent reports that America is honeycombed with enemies. Added interest has been aroused by the recent attempt in the English parliament to secure a restoration of the Habeas Corpus Act that was suspended early in the European War. It is certain that one of the first drastic moves in the United States, in event the country is forced to take a hand in the present conflict, is a suspension of the habeas corpus.

It is pointed out that President Lincoln suspended the provisions of habeas corpus on Sept. 24, 1862, in order to prevent the release of military and state prisoners. In April, 1863, Congress upheld President Lincoln's right to suspend. Again, in September, 1863, Lincoln suspended the habeas corpus for the retention of recruits whose parents, on false oaths, tried to reclaim them as being under age. In May, 1864, President Lincoln, thru the Secretary of War, ordered all prisoners held under the suspension of the writ of habeas corpus to be discharged.

Original Protection Measure.

The famous protection measure was first passed by Charles II of England, in 1679. By this act, if any person be imprisoned by the act of any court, or of the queen herself, he may have a writ of habeas corpus, to bring him before the courts to determine whether his committal is just. This act, which was founded on the common law, is next to the Magna Charta in importance, for so long as it is in force in any country no person can be held in prison unless the detention is shown to be justified by the law. In England, the act can alone be suspended by the authority of Parliament, and then for a short time only, and when the emergency is extreme. In such a case, it is pointed out by Blackstone, the nation parts with a portion of its liberty to secure its own permanent welfare, and suspected persons may then be arrested without cause or purpose being assigned.

England has been forced often to suspend the habeas corpus rights, the most recent case being the European War. It is true that the tears being shed over the broken monument of English liberty are neither many nor bitter, says a report from London, for when the Defense of the Realm act lapses with the end of the war the writ of habeas corpus will be restored to all its glory. Week before last Hon. Wilfrid W. Ashley a Unionist member for Blackpool who is a descendant of the famous Lord Shaftesbury who was responsible for Act of 1679, brought the subject of restoring the act before Parliament. Regulations regarding the internment of suspected persons issued by the Home office were denounced by the member and his supporters as a combination of the evils of the Bastille and Star Chamber proceedings.

“We have substituted for the tyranny of a King the tyranny of a Home Secretary,” said Mr. Ashley.

A Typical Case.

It was pointed out, in reply, by Sir Herbert Samuel, that in view of what had been done in the German cause in the United States and Canada, he thought the House of Commons would agree that the precautions taken by England were not excessive. The Home Secretary gave particulars of sixty nine persons now under restraint who were technically British subjects, but who were suspected because of hostile origin or association. A typical case, he said, was that of a young man of military age who was British-born of German parents. His father was repatriated, and when going back to Germany, was detected smuggling letters. Among them was one from his son saying that he was longing to help the Germans and that his dearest wish was to join the German army, and that he was German now and always would be.

When Mr. Ashley contended that the man ought to have a trial, Sir Herbert pointed out the difficulty, and even the impossibility, of framing a legal indictment upon which such a man could be brought to trial. In other countries, he said, such cases were dealt with under martial law, but the British government considered that to establish martial law would be going beyond what was necessary.

Naturally, the question has been given some thought in Washington, as to just how similar cases would be handled in event of war. While the officials will not discuss such matters under present peace conditions, it is conceded that radical action will be necessary and will be forthcoming promptly.

NOT ENOUGH CASH ON HAND.

New York, March 15.—Receiver Jacob H. Dickinson of the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific railway company after a conference of Rock Island interests explained today that while the road had earned enough to pay the interest on debenture had not enough due January 15th, he had not enough cash on hand to make the payment. This condition was brought about he said by the necessity for expenditures made by the order of the court.

C. N. Priest has returned from Winchester where he went to look after the opening of a Ford station.

TOTAL AT ARNOLD SALE MORE THAN TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS

Bidding Spirited for Many Horses, Mules and Cows Offered By Well Known Stockman.

They do things on a big scale at the J. W. Arnold sale, as indicated by the fact that the total yesterday was \$12,155. Mr. Arnold sold 15 horses, 45 mules, 15 cows and 15 sheep, and also some other livestock. His facilities for the sale were unexcelled and the attendance is always large, no matter what the weather. Jerry and Jed Cox and Charles L. Strawn were the auctioneers and the clerks were J. Weir Elliott and Charles McDonald. Lunch was served by the Willing Workers of Pisgah Presbyterian church. It was a big, well managed sale. Among the purchases made were the following:

Cows.

W. Harahan purchased six cows at the following figures: \$45, \$49.50, \$49.70, \$47.50, \$47.50 and \$49.25. William R. Reedy, 2 at \$50 each. Gregg Tindale, \$53 and \$80. William Conley, \$52.50. H. Blimling, \$45. G. Wackerle, \$47 and \$75. A. Harris, \$46.

Horses.

Joseph Anderson, team, \$402.50. Fred Hemmrich, team, \$335. Charles A. Rowe, mare, \$177.50. Samuel Bridgman, mare, \$115. John Moxon, team, \$335.50. Meyer Reed, team, \$287.50. Ed McGinnis, mare, \$110. C. M. Skinner, team, \$337.50. J. E. Moore, mare, \$77.50. Sam Ruble, mare, \$117.50. George White, mare, \$100. Charles Read, mare, \$145. Jeff Cleary, mare, \$92.50. Cohan, mare, \$100. D. H. Lark, mare, \$82.50. Lloyd Lukeman, mare, \$125. John Carrigan, mare, \$77.50. Sam Miller, mare, \$77.50. Albert Curry, mare, \$75. W. Allen, mare, \$75. Cohn, mare, \$5. William Bergschneider, mare, \$37.50. L. J. Stewart, stallion, \$460. Miles.

D. I. Clark, team, \$437.50. F. E. Drury, team, \$470. Walter Smith, team, \$445. John Holly, team, \$422.50. Harry Rice, team, \$402.50. Earl Lukeman, team, \$400. Milton Dunn, team, \$380. Jeff Cleary, team, \$387.50. Vernon Baker, team, \$337.50. Jeff Cleary, team, \$360. Marian Zachary, team, \$270. Albert Curry, team, \$227.65. Same, team, \$307. Carl Hemmrich, team, \$302.50. Richard Wood, team, \$325. Samuel Currier, team, \$350. Richard Wood, team, \$317.50. R. T. Smith, team, \$275. Albert Curry, team, \$202.50. B. A. Smith, jack, \$72.50. Dan L. Clark, mule, \$85. Louis Rexroat, mule, \$67.50.

SOME FARM THEMES.

Farm Advisers Organize.

Ottawa, Ill., March 15.—Representatives of twenty three county farm bureaus met here today and organized the Illinois Agricultural association said to be the only organization of its kind outside of Massachusetts.

H. W. Danforth, Washington, was chosen president; J. C. Johnstone, Bloomington, vice president; E. T. Robbins, Washington, secretary and Howard Leonard, Eureka, treasurer. The organization is the result of a movement started by county farm advisers in session last January at the Illinois University last November.

Membership is open to associations employing agents under the Smith Lever act.

Demand Higher Milk Price.

Elgin, Ill., March 15.—Dairymen today refused contracts for milk for six summer months at the prices offered by nine factories in the Elgin district. Dealers offered contracts on an average price of \$1.33 per hundred for three per cent milk. The milk producers' association demands an average of \$1.55.

A price war between the milk producers' association and the whole sale dealers will result from their differences it is believed.

According to A. J. Kittle, secretary of the association, the farmers will stand together in refusing to sign the wholesalers' schedule. He said 13,000 farmers in the Chicago-Elgin district sell about 1,500,000 quarts daily. For this they are paid about \$45,000 while the dealers retail this milk for \$130,000 daily, he said.

MYRTLE ALLEN AGAIN ARRESTED

Myrtle Allen, who has appeared in the police courts before, was arrested yesterday by Chief of Police Davis and Patrolman White on the charge of violating the local option law. This is the woman's second arrest within a month. The trial on the previous charge has been delayed on account of the illness of City Attorney John J. Reeve. The officers have good evidence against this offender as they caught a man coming from her house on Washington street with eight bottles of beer and one pint of whisky. In a trial for a former charge Myrtle Allen was freed in the circuit court jury trial. At that time the defendant shed tears and in other ways provided dramatic features. The woman appeared in Justice Dyer's court yesterday and was released on \$300 bond to await trial.

Mrs. Mellie Baucum of Huntington, Tenn., is visiting her brother, Eddie Harmon, 765 North Diamond street.

MILWAUKEE HAS UNIQUE TAX REFUND CASE

Milwaukee, Mar. 15.—The unique refund case, in which the Pabst Brewing Co., is attempting to secure the return of \$8,000 taxes paid in 1913, will be heard by the State Supreme Court today. The company claims a double assessment of certain property. The tax was paid without protest, and the city controller refused to refund, on advice of the city attorney that the money could not be legally repaid. Judge Turner in Circuit Court held that the refund would be legal, in spite of the company's failure to pay “under protest.” He held that where the city is morally liable, a refund can be made, notwithstanding failure to comply with the technical requirements of the law. It is claimed by the city attorney that this is the first decision to this effect ever made by a judge in any court in this country. The city appealed to the Supreme Court.

MAYOR FINALLY DRAWS HIS PAY.

Cambridge, Mass., March 15.—The ghost walks at Cambridge City Hall, and Mayor Wendell P. Rockwood, the new city executive who has been on the job since Jan. 3, will be able to draw his salary. But the Mayor could afford to be patient, for his salary, has been boosted from \$2500 to \$5000.

LODGE OPENS CAMPAIGN FOR RE-ELECTION

Boston, March 15.—Senator Henry Cabot Lodge will open his campaign for re-election tomorrow, when he will speak at a dinner of the Lynn Republican Club. Governor McCall and other prominent Republicans will appear at the dinner. The famous Massachusetts Senator is completing his fourth term.

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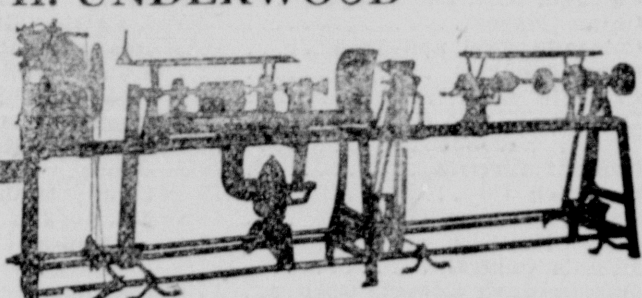
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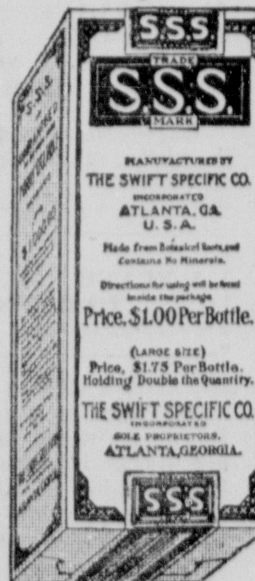
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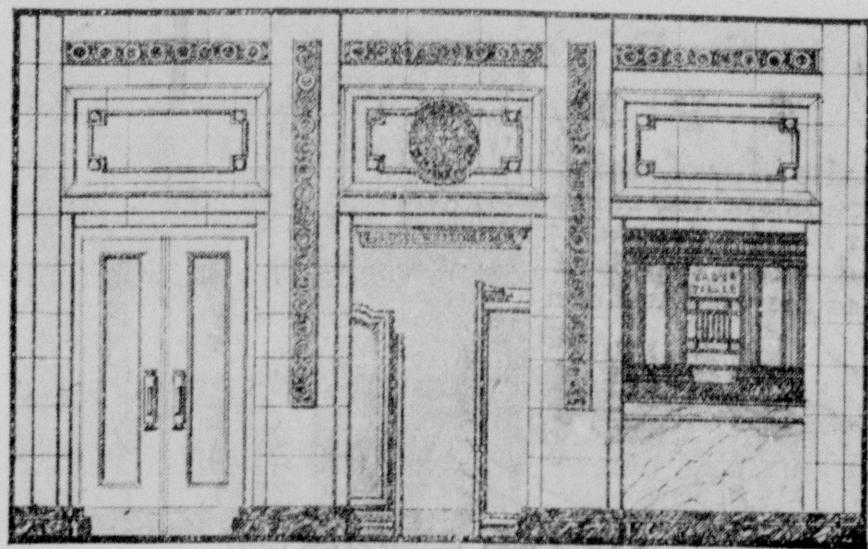
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Zemo, Cleveland.

Washington—In round numbers, there will be at least four millions of women eligible to vote at the 1916 elections in the United States, according to figures compiled by the Congressional Union for Woman suffrage. The statistics are based on the census of 1910, which estimates the female population above 21 years in the voting states at 3,666,515. By computing the increase during the intervening time, the approximate population of women in

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Address at Court House Argument
For Preparedness Program Includ-
ing a President of Vigorous Action
—Some War Possibilities.

John Maynard Harlan of Chicago addressed an audience at the court house Wednesday evening. Mr. Harlan is a candidate for delegate at large to the Republican national convention and declares that the man of the hour is Colonel Roosevelt and that the country needs a man of exactly the Roosevelt type. Mr. Harlan arrived in Jacksonville, Wednesday afternoon and was about the business district for an hour or two meeting citizens. At the court house Thomas Stevenson called Paul Samuel from the audience to introduce Mr. Harlan. Mr. Samuel referred to the speaker as the brilliant son of the late John Marshall Harlan, associate justice of the supreme court of the United States.

Roosevelt For Action.

Mr. Harlan is a commanding figure and has a way with him which at once interests. His choice of English is the best, his word picture dramatic, and altogether his oratory is of a forceful and convincing type. Mr. Harlan would make an interesting address with a lesser subject than Theodore Roosevelt as his theme, so that it goes without saying that he was heard with interest by the court house audience Wednesday night. The speaker summed up his somewhat lengthy address with the statement that this country must make wise alliances forthwith and diplomatically. "We must maintain military preparedness," he said, "and alliances and preparedness go side by side like strong brothers. Our need is instant—it is upon us, like an armed man. We must make ready; the agent is at hand—Theodore Roosevelt. Put on your strength put Roosevelt back into the white house, stiffen your government, make it dynamic. It is flabby now; it dreams too much; it mouths too much; it acts not. We want action. With Roosevelt is action, wisdom and strength."

Preparedness Includes Leaders.

After declaring that the special purpose of his candidacy as a delegate to the national convention is that he may espouse the cause of Roosevelt in the convention, Mr. Harlan said that the paramount and all-absorbing issue of the presidential contest must be preparedness for national defense. "Preparedness not only against aggression from without but against disloyalty and traitorous over-confidence within," he declared that preparedness is not only an increased army and navy, but includes leadership, and that to be truly prepared this country must have a man of force and decision as its president. With Roosevelt as president, the speaker said that there would be ahead of the nation unafraid to open the eyes of the people to the dangers which threaten. Looking ahead to the future Mr. Harlan said, "We are drawing to ourselves a disproportionate share of the gold of the world. We are the envy of all the nations. Whichever side shall win in the European war, or if neither side shall win decisively and the result shall be a draw, in either event the dominating control of world affairs will rest in the hands of peoples made lean, hungry and necessitous by long continued war. Not only the eastern continent but even our neighbor, Canada, on this continent will be peopled by men supertrained in arms and without other occupation to which they may readily turn—professional soldiers to whom traffic in death and destruction will have become by practice and habit, not only the natural and ordinary course of existence, but the most obvious and the easiest method of gaining a livelihood."

"War breeds war. The rich and defenseless nation will always fall a prey to hungry war-trained neighbors. That is the lesson of history. But it is not only from that circumstance that danger arises to the people of the United States. We have an unsettled dispute with Japan which antedates the war in Europe. That dispute is as to the terms upon which the people of Japan may come to this country, and own lands and do business here. That dispute touches Japan's national pride. She says that discrimination on our part against Japanese immigrants is an affront to her national honor. That is the sort of dispute which may flash into war at any moment."

Admiral Dewey Warning.
"Admiral Dewey not long ago wrote to Congressman Gardner of Massachusetts, 'Our main defense protection from invasion must always rest with the navy, which must ever remain our first and best line of defense. This defense, unless adequate, is important. And adequacy is not reached until the navy is strong enough to meet on equal terms the navy of the strongest possible adversary. Let us not lull ourselves into any false feeling of security. The capture of New Orleans, would open the Mississippi valley. Its capture under existing conditions of unpreparedness would be easy. Once in control of New Orleans, an enemy would send troops by tens and hundreds of thousands into the heart of our country—and New Orleans is not the only way.'"

"Then is our Mexican frontier defensible? Is the Rio Grande a barrier against even a contemptible foe, and are the foes from that quar-

ter always likely to prove contemptible? Who does not remember Magdalena Bay? Who does not remember the recent activity of Japan in that quarter? We wake up enough when she becomes too aggressive to ask her what she means. She gives us a soft and blandishing answer. We retire to sleep and she works on. Our navy in the Pacific is admittedly a derision, but we dare not remove our Atlantic navy from its station. Japan will swarm over our southern border as and when she wishes unless we wake up and wake up at once."

"How is it in the north. Canada abides by her mother's side. The end of the European war will find us with at least a quarter of a million trained, equipped and war-tired veteran Canadian troops on our northern border. Have we any army to defend that border?"

The Pacifists' Plea.

"It is nonsense to say as the pacifists say that the United States must not increase her military establishment to a point adequate for defense lest thereby we might be tempted to aggressive warfare. Have Switzerland, Holland and Sweden been tempted into the European war by their preparedness? Military preparedness involves questions both political and technical. How and to what extent the people of the United States shall impose upon themselves the burden of providing the resources and men for military and naval strength is a political question. That is a question you, thru your representatives and the president at Washington must answer. How military and naval strength, once made available, shall be organized, distributed and used is a technical question. The experts must solve that."

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CHARLES B. GUNN WEDS
MISS CURRY OF SPRINGFIELD

Ceremony Took Place at 12:30 Wed-
nesday at Home of Bride's Father
—Will Begin Housekeeping Here.

The marriage of Charles B. Gunn of this city and Miss Blanche Curry of Springfield was solemnized at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's father, James Curry, 1725 S. College street, Springfield, Ill. The impressive ring service was used, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Mr. Peck, pastor of the Laurel Avenue M. E. church. Miss Theron Sharpe was at the piano and before the ceremony played the march from Lohengrin and afterward the Mendelssohn march, together with several other appropriate numbers. Following the ceremony an elaborate luncheon was served to a company including relatives and intimate friends of the young people.

Mr. Gunn, who is a son of Mrs. John T. Gunn, living just west of Jacksonville, was born and raised in this county. After completing his schooling he became associated with the insurance firm of Strawn & Spink and has been very successful in his work there. He is a young man held in high esteem by all who know him.

Mrs. Gunn has several times visited in Jacksonville as the guest of Mrs. Howard Stevenson and has numerous friends here who also will be glad to welcome her as a permanent resident. She is a graduate of the Springfield high school and withal a young woman of such pleasing character and personality that her friends are numerous.

Among those from Jacksonville who were present for the wedding were Mrs. John T. Gunn, Miss Alice Gunn, Baird Gunn and Leroy Stine. Following the ceremony the bride and groom left Springfield for a wedding journey of a week and following their return they will be at home here in a residence already prepared for their occupancy on Mound avenue near the terminus of the car line. They will begin their married life under very auspicious circumstances.

NOTICE TO FILE CLAIMS.

All persons having claims against Morgan county are asked to file them this week in order to insure payment by the county board this term.
C. A. Boruff, County Clerk.

VISITING IN CONCORD.

Miss Susie Dickerson, who last week was a patient at Passavant hospital with tonsillitis, is much better and is at present a guest of Miss Gertrude Stainforth of Concord. Miss Stainforth is a teacher in the Concord schools.

Double Heel Rubbers at Hoppers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
T. W. Kinney to Bertha Gibson, pt. lot 5 Lambert's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.
William Gall to Elmer Cully, west half northwest quarter southeast quarter 36-13-11, \$450.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Harry Leonhart, Meredosia; Della Beauchamp, Meredosia.
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FOR COMMISSIONER.

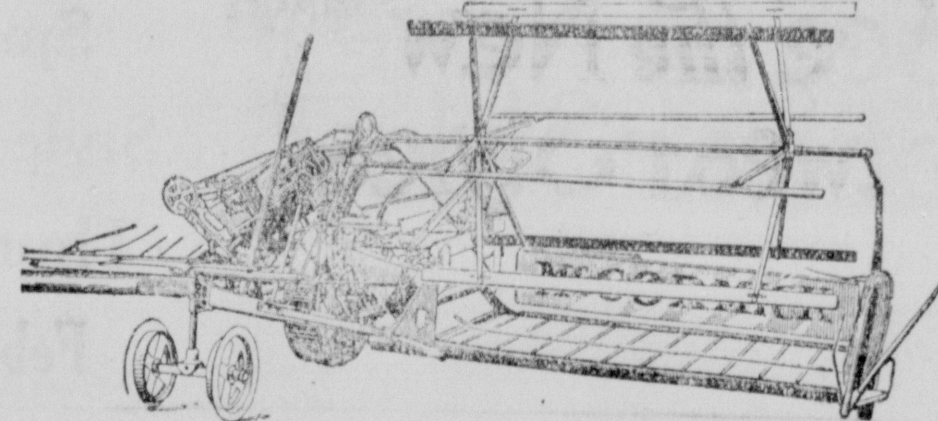
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as road commissioner, road district No. 8. Election April 4.
Charles S. Magill.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner in District Eight subject to the will of the voters April 4th.
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BINDER PRICES

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By placing your order before the first of April, you are assured of two things—PROMPT DELIVERY and THE OLD PRICE. Every one is aware of the fact that the manufacturers are compelled to advance their prices on account of the advance in the cost of material. So, for their protection, binders, mowers and rakes will be advanced to the dealers April 1st. We are the largest purchasers of farm machinery in this section of the state, and have tried to cover on all lines. But, our spring trade is big and we will protect you as far as possible.

During March, all orders taken on binders, mowers and rakes will be at the old price. Any order taken after April 1st must be at the advance.

COME IN AND SEE US

Jacksonville Farm Supply Co

IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH US. TRY IT.

Sometimes you make exposures and get poor results. You handle your camera as you always have done, focus carefully and give the same time as under like conditions; but it goes wrong. It's the film. It lacks uniformity. Just try one

Anso Film

and see the difference. It makes a picture with one exposure and you needn't make two to be sure of a good result. Come in and let us show you.

No matter what camera you use, use an Anso Film for better results in amateur photography.

ARMSTRONG'S
Drug Store

OPEN MURRAYVILLE BRANCH.

The Jacksonville Farm Supply Company opened the branch store in Murrayville Wednesday and formal opening of the establishment will be continued today. A large number of persons were present Wednesday and pocketbooks were given as souvenirs. J. W. Wright of Murrayville is manager of the store and Carl Rousey his assistant.

See today our display of high class millinery. FLORETH CO.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dunn of Meredosia are spending a few days in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Dawson. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn are on their way home from Florida, where they have been spending the winter, mostly at Jacksonville and Tampa.

NOTICE TO INSURE.

ANCE COMPANIES.
The undersigned will receive sealed bids up to 4:00 p. m. Monday, March 27, for providing the city with indemnity insurance for all city employees. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
R. L. Pyatt, City Clerk.

ATEXAS WONDER

THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 225 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

That Coal Order

You are certain of Satisfactory fuel if your order is placed here.

Springfield Coal
Carterville Coal
Hard Coal

Snyder Ice and
Fuel Co.

Phone 884.

Chalmers

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While Attending the

Auto Show
In Springfield

March 15-16-17-18

Be sure and call in and
look over the Chalmers

A. D. Arnold

Agent

Crispette Shop

East State Street

Today we will have
home made

Raised Doughnuts

Cream Puffs

Chocolate Eclairs

Lady Fingers.

Also home-made Bread,
Rolls, etc.

Special Price on
Fertilizer

It is a proven fact that the application of Rock Phosphate to farm lands bring big returns.

We Have a Supply of
Rock Phosphate Now
at a Very Low Price

Otis Hoffman,
PHONE 621

Fuel and Concrete Work
Limestone

HOME - FURNISHINGS

That Are Good, Attractive and the Kind
You Want.



Heywood-Wakefield
The Stamp of Refinement

Davenport and Davenettes,
Soft and Luxurious
Upholstery

Lace Curtains and Draperies,
Cretonnes, Scrims
And Piece Goods in Endless
Variety

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

Spring Opening

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

We invite you to our Spring Opening. New Silks, Dress Goods and Trimmings on display. We will continue the three days so that all will have a chance to get down. Many things in stock now cannot be duplicated this year. It's the time to buy what you want when you see it.

PHONES 309.
HILLERBY'S
DRY GOODS STORE.



See the New Footwear Styles

Annual Spring Style Show Thursday Feb. 16

You are invited to inspect our showing of spring Footwear. You will find a varied assortment of choice styles, representing the very latest effects in footwear.

See our windows, They will give you an idea of the breadth of the styles shown this season.

An Exclusive
Children's
Footwear

HOPPER'S

WE REPAIR SHOES.

The Store
with the
Assortment

EVERYBODY READY FOR THE BIG OPENING TODAY

Store Decorations and Stock Are
Complete — Builtsess District
Worth a Visit.

That Jacksonville has an enterprising company of merchants is being well proven from day to day and especially was that fact demonstrated yesterday by the manner in which various business houses were being decorated for the grand opening today. Experienced window dressers vied with each other in the attractiveness of their respective displays and all about the business portion of the city were evidences that something was going on and that something unusual was to take place and it is safe to say that all who visit the city and the parts occupied by business houses will see displays which will well repay a long walk or great effort.

Dealers in all kinds of goods have been making special efforts to have their places look well and inviting and a glance at them last evening showed how well they succeeded. People who have traveled and have traded away from home are convinced that Jacksonville offers inducements which will equal those of far greater cities and if all would stand by our home merchants there would be nothing gained in quality, assortment or price in any establishment in any large city.

Everybody come down town today and enjoy the handsome displays which will be in evidence all about the business portion of the city and be convinced that we have merchants who are always up to date in everything and ready to show goods whether you want to buy or not and glad to compare attractions with those of any large city.

Jacksonville Lodge
No. 570 A. F. and A.
M. will hold a stated
meeting tonight at
7:30. Visiting brothers
welcome.
R. A. Hartman, W. M.
E. O. Kinney, Secy.

RESIDENCE PROPERTY SOLD.
B. H. Merrill yesterday sold his property on West College avenue to Mrs. Julia Mandeville of Woodson. Possession is to be given at an early date and Mrs. Mandeville expects to then become a resident of Jacksonville.

We invite every lady attending the Spring Opening to call and get a free sample of our home-made Mexican Chili. Knollenbergs Confectionery.

Buy Fancy Evaporated Peaches

A SPECIAL FOR
THIS WEEK

5 Lbs. for 45c

This is a Fancy Peach
Fine for stewing or making pies
Order 5 lbs today

TAYLOR, The Grocer

MURRAYVILLE FARMERS ELEVATOR WILL SOON BE READY

Company Fully Organized at Meeting Held Wednesday—Will Select Building Site.

Organization of the Murrayville Farmers' Elevator company was effected at a meeting of the stockholders held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the town hall at Murrayville, when directors and officers were elected and by-laws were adopted. About ninety of the one hundred and eight stockholders in the company were in attendance.

A. C. Rice of this city acted as chairman of the meeting and S. A. Bracewell secretary. It was decided to elect nine directors and by-laws were adopted governing the company in conformity with the state laws. One section prohibits stockholders from transferring shares of stock without the consent of the board of directors.

Three sets of directors were chosen, one to serve three years, another two and the third one year. Directors elected for the three year term were F. J. Robinson, Thomas P. Langdon and S. A. Bracewell; those for the two year term, R. D. Mawson, F. J. Worrell and J. W. Irlam and those for the one year term, Thomas Irlam, George C. Clayton and J. H. Fuller. Officers were elected for one year terms and the selections of the directors follow:

President—Thomas Langdon.
Vice president—J. H. Fuller.
Secretary-treasurer—S. A. Bracewell.

It is the intention of the members of the board of directors to hold another meeting in the near future, at which time a manager will be selected and the question of choosing a site for the elevator and planning for the erection of a building will be taken up.

PUBLIC SALE.
Public sale of our dairy herd of 25 cows at Murrayville Saturday, March 18, 1:30 p. m. All heavy Milkers or soon fresh.
R. D. Rimbeys & Son.
C. Justus Wright, Auctioneer.

FLORENCE CO. Millinery display today. Phonograph music. The public is invited.

ADDRESSED I. S. D. TEACHERS.
At a meeting of the teachers of the State School for the Deaf Wednesday, Miss Ernestine Jastremski gave a very interesting talk on conditions in Europe. As already mentioned in the Journal Miss Jastremski has but recently returned from an extended stay in France.

TAX LEVY ORDINANCE PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL WEDNESDAY

Plans Under Way for Purchase of Street Flushing Apparatus—Will Take Out Insurance on City Employees.

An adjourned meeting of the city council was held Wednesday morning at the city hall. The purpose was to pass the tax levy ordinance and to attend to some other matters of business. The question of purchasing a street flusher received some consideration and it was the announced intention of the council to purchase this apparatus if satisfactory price can be obtained. Mr. Martin said that a representative of a manufacturing concern will be here during the week to explain the merits and advantages of one type of flusher and sweeper.

The question of securing indemnity insurance for city employees was also given some consideration and R. L. Pyatt, clerk, was authorized to advertise for bids for selling the city such insurance. This question had been under consideration and the need received special emphasis because of the unfortunate accident of last Saturday night when Roland Stice, a city employee, had his hand cut off in the machinery at the north side station. It is estimated that the cost for the insurance of all city employees will be about \$1,700 a year. In cities of larger size it has long been the practice to carry insurance. The tax levy ordinance which was read at the last meeting provides for the levying of taxes for general corporate purposes to the extent of \$52,995.23.

The sums appropriated for separate purposes are as follows:
Diamond Grove cemetery . . . \$ 500
Jacksonville cemetery . . . 1,000
Street and alley repair . . . 5,000
Maintaining fire department, 10,000
Water department expenses, 10,000
Electric light plant expenses, 10,000
Rebuilding lighting system, pumping station, etc. . . 10,000
Maintaining city prison and police department . . . \$5,595.23
In addition to the taxes for general corporate purposes are the following:

Public library . . . \$9,000
Refunding bond issue . . . 4,200
Bond sinking fund . . . 6,000
Garbage disposal system . . . 9,000
Park system . . . 9,000
Maintaining anti-tuberculosis sanatorium . . . 5,000
It is directed in the ordinance that on or before the third Tuesday of September the city clerk shall prepare and file with the county clerk a certified copy of the ordinance.

TO THE LADIES.
We direct your attention today to recent arrivals of late styles in children's wear, displayed in our Sandy street window.

MYERS BROS.
GOING TO TALLULA.
Mr. and Mrs. Ford Matthews will leave Monday for Tallula where Mr. Matthews is to take a position as assistant cashier and bookkeeper in the Farmers & Merchants State bank. The position came unsolicited to Mr. Matthews and is the more welcome on that account. Mrs. Matthews' father, B. H. Merrill, will accompany them to Tallula.

FREE TO THE LADIES.
Free Sample of our home-made MEXICAN STYLE CHILI to every lady visiting our store Opening Day: Knollenbergs Confectionery.

TWO MORE CARS SOLD.
Martin Bros. yesterday sold a National Highway Six car to J. H. Hixson of Prentice. A similar car was sold to E. Clark of Chandlerville. A shipment of Nationals is expected shortly by Martin Bros. for distribution in this territory.

Street Railway Charity Benefit today.
SPECIAL ATTENTION.
In order to take advantage of the Opening Week in this city, the Carona Typewriter Sales Co., of Chicago have their machines on exhibition in the windows of Coover and Shreve's West Side Drug Store. Souvenir pamphlets will be given all visitors to this store regarding this new machine.

REV. MR. STEPHENS SPEAKS ON ETERNAL PUNISHMENT

Large Audience Attends Revival at First Baptist Church—"Heaven" Will Be Sermon Subject This Evening.

The First Baptist church was crowded last night and at the opening of the service there were three baptisms. Others are to be baptized tonight at the opening of the service. The subject of the sermon was "Hell." Tonight the theme of the pastor will be "Heaven." A large number attended the Red Book service and several professed conversion.

The singing was of a high grade. Mrs. Thomas Harber sang "His Love for Me." The big choir joined in on the chorus. The choir sang very beautifully "Raise Me, Jesus." Tonight Mr. Allen will sing by special request the solo, "The Sinner and the Song," assisted by the quartet and chorus.

Preceding the sermon last night Mr. Allen sang "No Room in Heaven." At the close of the sermon, "Are You Coming Home Tonight?" was the title of the song. Mr. Stephens read Luke 16:19-31, the story of the rich man and Lazarus, taking the narrative as a basis for his remarks on "Hell." The pastor spoke in part as follows: "War is Hell. Theologians say they have gotten rid of Hell, but war remains. This story, given Christ himself, shows first that Hell is a place of conscious existence. Paul, John, Peter and Jude taught the same message.

"Second, Hell is a place of physical suffering. This man had all the faculties which we possess and yet he was in Hell, thirsting and speaking and looking.

"Third, this narrative shows that Hell is a place of intense mental agony. Abraham said 'Son, remember. Memory, conscience and remorse will be intensified in Hell to a degree which cannot be approximated in this life.

"We see that Hell is a place of insatiable desire. The rich man said, 'Cool my tongue.' But it could not be cooled. Passions and longings that develop in this life will remain in Hell, but will never be gratified.

"Finally, Hell is a place of eternal hopelessness. Abraham said, 'There is a gulf fixed so that you cannot pass.' Christ offers to save us tonight, don't reject Him."

WILL CONTINUE TO OPEN ALL WEEK
THE NEW MILLINERY STORE OF L. C. & R. E. HENRY IN THE OPERA HOUSE BLOCK WAS THROUGED ALL DAY WITH DELIGHTED LADIES AND THE OPENING WILL CONTINUE ALL THE WEEK.

FROM AN UNKNOWN FRIEND.
Dr. J. R. Harker received a generous subscription for Illinois Woman's college thru the mail yesterday. It came in currency without anything to indicate the name of the donor and Dr. Harker is grateful for the gift, altho he does not know to whom the gratitude should be expressed. The president feels certain that the contribution does not represent conscience money given by some one who owed a debt to the college, but on the contrary feels that the donor is excessively modest. Nevertheless, contributions for the college are welcome, whether they come anonymously or with the name of the donor attached. Friends of the college can use either method of giving they prefer.

TODAY SPECIAL.
Tea Luncheon from 2:30 to 4:30. PEACOCK INN.

FINE MILLINERY OPENING
OF L. C. AND R. E. HENRY
In the handsome new room they have secured in the Grand opera house building, L. C. & R. E. Henry have placed a fine stock of millinery and yesterday, as announced they had their first opening in the new quarters and all day they were visited by ladies much pleased with the display of beautiful creations in the line of adornment for the head. Mrs. Henry and her corps of ladies are skilled in their line and fully understand the art of trimming and preparing the goods for the best effect and the trade they enjoy proves that their efforts are fully appreciated.

WILL GIVE SOCIAL.
The Ladies' Aid society of Liberty church will give a social at Liberty school Friday, March 17. Free musical program.

PARTITION SUIT.
A partition suit was filed in the circuit court Wednesday by Judge M. T. Layman acting on behalf of Mrs. Sarah M. Loar and Miss Florence Loar. The suit is directed against Mrs. Carrie L. Vandervoort and Mrs. Eliza B. Watson, and is for the purpose of making division of certain property belonging to the estate of the late John R. Loar, in which all the parties to the suit are interested.

TODAY SPECIAL.
Tea Luncheon from 2:30 to 4:30. PEACOCK INN.

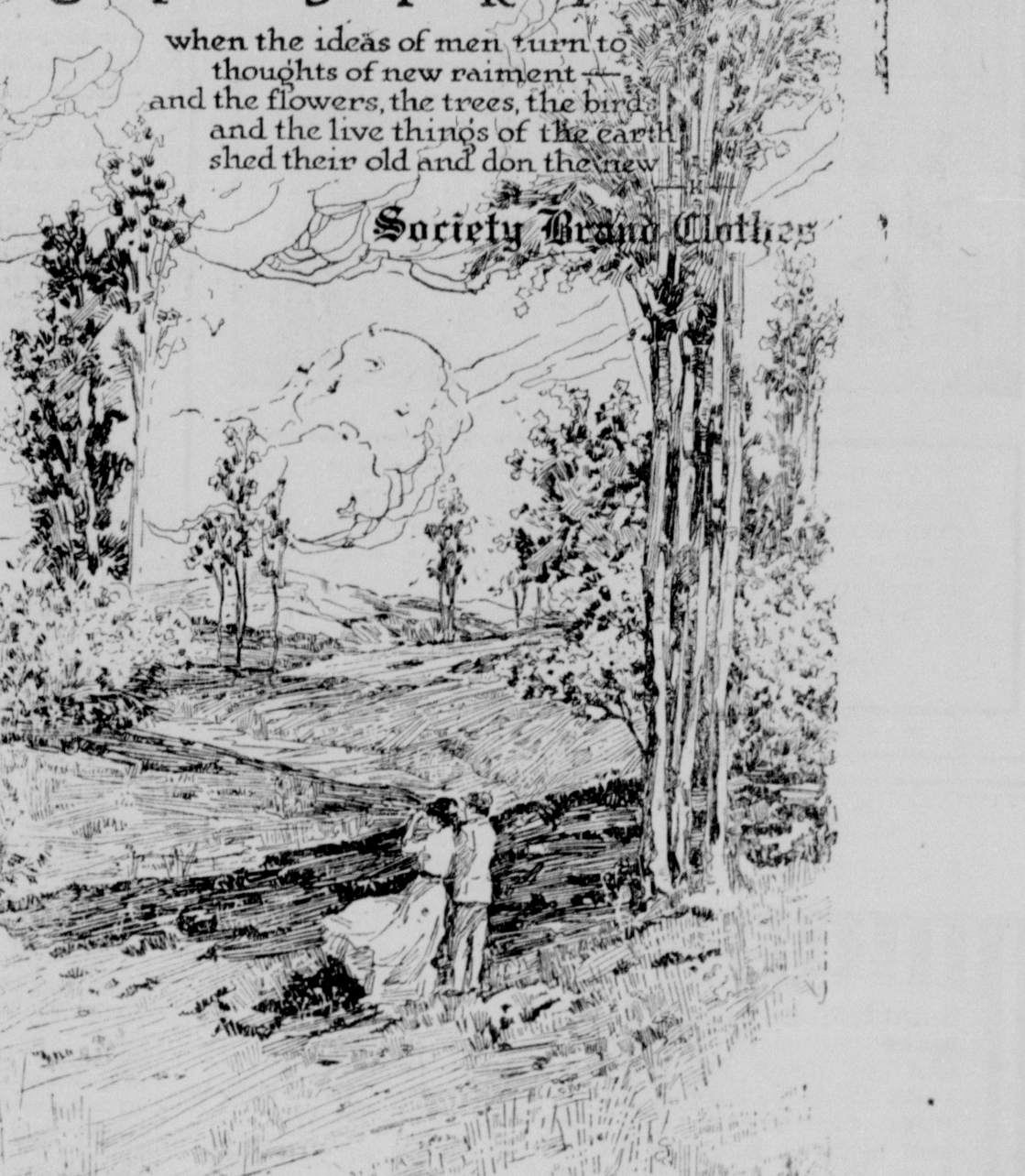
JOINT DEBATE POSTPONED.
The annual inter-society debate between Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi societies of Illinois college has been postponed from Friday of this week to Friday, March 21. The question for debate is "Resolved, That the Monroe doctrine as developed and applied by the United States should be abandoned as part of our national program." The Phi Alpha team will uphold the affirmative and Sigma Pi will defend the negative.

MUSIC ALL DAY AT HERMAN'S GRAND SPRING OPENING. EVERYBODY WELCOME.

THE SEASON OF SPRING

when the ideas of men turn to thoughts of new raiment — and the flowers, the trees, the bird and the live things of the earth shed their old and don the new

Society Brand Clothes

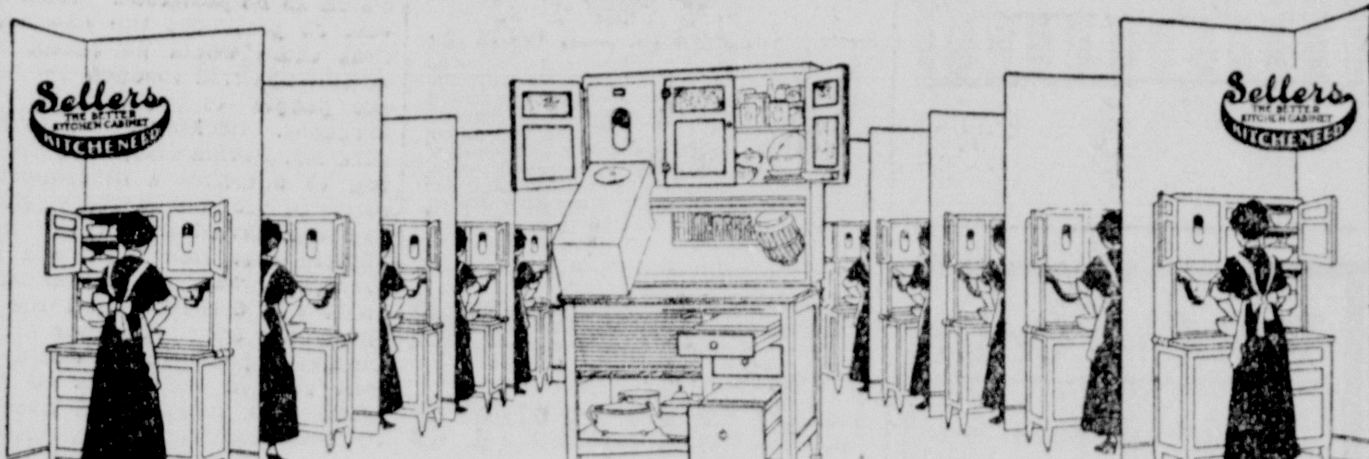


Thursday and the balance of the week—

Spring Opening and Window Exhibit

You are asked to view the new spring apparel for men, young men and little men. Request for you to look, try on and admire is no obligation for you to buy.

MYERS BROTHERS.



Use it in your kitchen Ten Days Free Sellers Kitcheneed

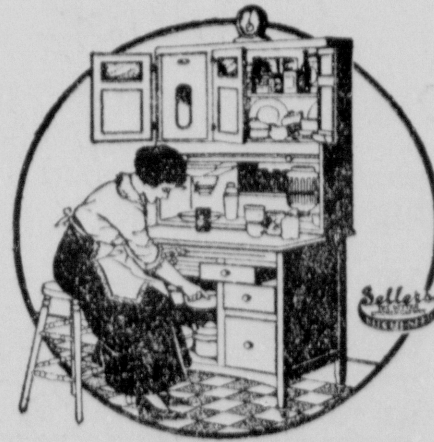
For a limited time you may select any Sellers Kitcheneed on our floor — put it in your kitchen and use it ten days free? For ten days you can have it in preparing three meals a day, in your baking, in all the work you new do at your kitchen table, cupboard, etc. For ten days you can see for yourself how the many convenience features of a Sellers Kitcheneed will help you accomplish your work faster than any other kitchen cabinet on the market. *It will cost you nothing.*

At the end of ten days if you have decided you don't want it, our wagon will call and take it back. If you want to keep it the terms we will make you for payment will conclude your desire to have it. Come in and pick one out for ten days trial today.

Sellers "New Idea" Kitcheneed

This is the Sellers Kitcheneed, "New Idea," is the latest, most perfect achievement of the organization making "your own idea of what a kitchen cabinet ought to be." It has been over 25 years developing.

It possesses more patented, practically useful convenience features than even any Sellers Kitcheneed has ever had. It represents the further conservation of a women's energy in using an article already designed to save labor.



Ten Days Free Trial. Balance \$1.00 Down, \$1.00 a Week

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The Store of Today and Tomorrow